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SENATORS

Discuss Commercial Aspect in China and the Philippines.

Beveridge and Dubois Clash.

A Texas Representative Objects to Acceptance of Monument of Frederick, the Great, Which Has Been Tendered to the United States.

Washington, May 24.—A temporary and carefully prepared speech was delivered in the senate on the Philippines bill by Mr. Dubois (Ida.) He confined himself almost entirely to a discussion of the commercial and industrial aspects of the Philippine question, his purpose being to show that it would be a disadvantage to the people of this country to retain the islands. Whatever of profit there might be in them, he said, would accrue to a few capitalists who, by their development of the resources of the archipelago, would come into competition with the agriculturists and manufacturers of the United States in the markets of the world. This government's activity in the Philippines would serve to arouse China from her lethargy, and, once aroused, the dragon would devour the trade of the world. An earnest and forcible reply to Mr. Dubois was made by Mr. Beveridge (Ind.), who contended that the development of China's resources would be of advantage in trade and commerce to the United States, as the industrial development of other nations had been.

Aimed at William's Gift.

Washington, May 24.—Representative Stephens (Tex.) introduced a resolution that is directly aimed at the tender of a monument of Frederick the Great to the United States. It sets forth that the United States should not accept from any foreign nation or erect in any public place any statue of any king, emperor, prince or potentate who has ruled or is now ruling any nation by the supposed divine right of kings. The resolution further sets forth that the acceptance of such a statue by this government would be a repudiation of its basic principles as enunciated in the bill of rights and constitution.

Executive Order Revoked.

Washington, May 24.—The president has revoked the old executive order of Aug 29, 1901, by which the lieutenant general commanding the army (General Miles) and the adjutant general (General Corbin) in turn are to assume the duties of secretary of war in the absence of the secretary and assistant secretary. The president's order of revocation, which is dated May 23, leaves the department without a head in the absence of the secretary and assistant secretary, unless such head is specifically designated on each occasion.

Situation in Haiti.

Washington, May 24.—The following cablegram from Commander Nickels of the Topeka has been received at the navy department, dated Port-au-Prince: "Everything is quiet at Port-au-Prince, Haiti. The Haitien government is in charge of a committee of safety. Firman, with 5,000 men and a Haitien man-of-war, is at St. Marie, Haiti. It is reported that the force under his command has been withdrawn while he sends forward various representatives to confer. Establishing provisional government."

Condition of Negroes.

Washington, May 24.—Representative Warner (O.), from the house committee on labor, reported favorably the bill creating a commission of five persons, at an annual salary of $3,500 each, to inquire into the condition of the colored people of the United States. The aim of the bill, according to the report, is to acquaint the colored people with their true condition in this country, and to furnish information for the study of their sociological condition.

Private Pension Bills.

Washington, May 24. — The house devoted the day to private pension bills and to a few other minor measures. Mr. Loud (Cal.) criticised the special pension legislation as a disgrace, and drew emphatic responses from Messrs. Sulloway (N. H.), Sulzer (N. Y.) and Miers (Ind.). In all 105 pension bills were passed. The house adjourned until Monday in order to participate in the Rochambeau ceremonies.

Nicaragua Wants the Canal.

Washington, May 24.—Minister Corea of Nicaragua has been empowered by his government to convey assurances to the government of the United States of Nicaragua's disposition to make any change in the base lines of the projected treaty providing for the construction of a Nicaraguan canal to meet the wishes of the United States.

PAUNCEFOTE

Diplomat Statesman, Passes Away.

Close of a Brilliant Diplomatic Career.

Will be Remembered for Connection With Famous Hay-Pauncefote Treaty—Was Seventy-four Years Old.

Washington, May 24.—Lord Pauncefote died of gout and liver trouble at 2:20 o'clock this morning. He was 74 years old. By reason of his death, Von Holleben, the German Ambassador becomes dean of the diplomatic corps in Washington.

Julian Pauncefote, after a brilliant diplomatic career was appointed to the United States in 1889 and has served here ever since. He was counted a friend of this country and he will be chiefly remembered here as a party of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty.

Cleveland After Lajoie.

Philadelphia, May 24.—Charles W. Somers of the Cleveland American league club was here, and said his mission was to get Second Baseman Lajoie and Pitcher Bernhard to join the Cleveland club. These two players were recently enjoined by the court from playing with the Philadelphia American league club. It could not be learned whether Mr. Somers succeeded in landing the men, but it is known that he did have a conference with Lajoie and Bernhard at his hotel before leaving for home.

Senator Hanna on the Strike.

Washington, May 24.—Senator Hanna returned to Washington from a visit to Philadelphia, where he went to attend a social function, and not to arrange matters connected with the coal miners' strike. Senator Hanna says he does not believe the organization of the United Mine Workers in the bituminous districts of western Pennsylvania, Ohio, Maryland and Illinois will strike, because they are working under contracts which give them what is, to a large extent, demanded by the anthracite miners, and which the anthracite operators will not agree to. Furthermore the coal produced by these mines, he says, can supply the place of the anthracite coal only to a limited extent. In the states named a scale is agreed on every year. Eight hours is a day's work.

Anthracite Situation.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., May 24.—President Mitchell has no information to impart upon any phase of the anthracite situation. He said he had received no communication or overtures from any one that could in any way be construed as bearing on a settlement of the difficulty. The only information received from the operators' side during the last 24 hours was the announcement that the receivers of the Haddock Coal company, an individual concern, had instructed the company's superintendent to grant the demands of the engineers, firemen and pumprunners, to take effect June 2, the date fixed by the union for the inauguration of the strike of this class of employes.

Ladronism Fading Away.

Manilla, May 24.—The civil government will be inaugurated in Batangas province July 4. The industrial conditions are improving rapidly. Crops have been planted throughout Batangas, which will mature in August. Other provinces report a marked diminution of ladronism, especially in Leyte and Cavite provinces, where the ladrones have flourished heretofore.

EIGHTY

Years of a Useful Life Were Spent

By Mrs. Jane Sydman, Who Died Last Night.

Was a Resident of This City Most of Her Life—Is Survived by Four Sons and Three Daughters.

Shortly after ten o'clock last night, the spirit of Mrs. Jane Rydman, a venerable and aged resident of this city took its flight to the unknown realm beyond mortal life, her death occurring at the home of her daughter, Mrs. G. L. Bonn, at 331 west Kibby street. The deceased was in her eighty-first year and had spent most of her long life a resident of this city. She had been failing in health for some time and the immediate cause of her death was malarial fever, from which she had been suffering a critical illness during the past two weeks. The deceased is survived by four sons—Messrs. Charles, Joseph, Ed. and Lowe Rydman, of Toledo, and by three daughters—Mrs. Mattie Bonn, of this city; Mrs. Mary Tousley, of Elkhart, Ind., and Mrs. Minnie McLeod, of New York city. She also leaves a number of step sons and step daughters. Arrangements for the funeral services have not been completed.

JEFFRIES

And Fitz Arrange the Details

For Their Battle Which is to Occur on July 25.

Straight Marquis of Queensberry Rules Will Govern the Contest —Kinetoscope Privilege Agreed Upon.

San Francisco, May 24. — James J. Jeffries and Robert Fitzsimmons have agreed upon the final details for their battle here on July 25. The amended articles of agreement were signd at the Central theater. Billy Delaney representing Jeffries and Fitzsimmons being present in person. There was a brief discussion as to the kinetoscope privileges, Fitz insisting that the profits revert solely to the fighters, but a compromise was finally arranged, the San Francisco Athletic club agreeing to accept 20 per cent. The contest is to be under straight Marquis of Queensberry rules. The winner is to receive 60 per cent and the loser 40 per cent of the purse. Edward M. Graney is to be referee.

President on Board the Gaulois.

Annapolis, Md., May 24.—The luncheon given on board the French battleship Gaulois, in honor of President Roosevelt, was one of the most memorable incidents of the visit of the distinguished French soldiers and sailors to this country, who were dispatched here to join in the celebration of the unveiling of the monument to the memory of General Rochambeau. After the delicacies of a choice French menu had been discussed, Ambassador Cambon arose and, in the name of President Loubet of the French republic, bid a hearty welcome to all who were present. He was especially complimentary in his allusions to President Roosevelt. He eloquently alluded to the historic occasion which had called them together, and expressed the confident hope and belief that the splendid friendship between the French and American people, which had continued unbroken for a century, will continue for generations. President Roosevelt replied in his happiest vein, reciprocating the sentiments expressed by Ambassador Cambon. Felicitous speeches were made by General Brugere, Admiral Fournier, Secretary Root and Secretary of Navy Moody.

Destructive Cloudburst.

Decorah, Ia., May 24.—A cloudburst caused a flood in Dry run, a small stream running from Conover to Decorah, and resulted in damage exceeding $100,000. The Milwaukee railroad tracks from four miles east of Conover were washed away in spots, and very few if any of the bridges escaped damage. Several were swept away entirely, and it is not expected trains will be running on this road for more than a week. The flood swept over the central part of the residence district of Decorah, carrying fences, sidewalks and small movable buildings before it. Two deaths resulted from the flood. Jere Garver died from heart disease while trying to regain entrance to his house, and a 3-year-old child of Charles Clark was swept from its mother's arms when she was carried from her feet by water.

PERIL

To Family Life is Foreseen

And Ministers

Are Instructed to Make an Effort

To Promote Wider Reverence for the Sacred Marriage Bond.

Selection of Professors for Theological Seminaries—Proceedings of Gen'l Assembly.

New York, May 24.—The session of the Presbyterian general assembly Saturday morning was given up to the reception of fraternal delegates from other denominations. At 2 o'clock the commissioners will leave by a special train for Princeton, where the faculty will give them a reception.

The report of the committee on theological seminaries, made by Rev. Dr. James F. Riggs of East Orange, N. J., regretted the falling off in the number of theological students, and asked for increased contributions. Appended to the report was a resolution in which care is advised in the selection of professors for theological seminaries, in view of the "restless spirit of the times."

In this connection the report says: "And in view of the assaults recently made on that which we regard as the vital truth as to the nature and inspiration of the Scriptures, and particularly in view of the assaults upon the integrity and authority of the Old Testament, we do reaffirm the historic faith of the church in the oracles of God, as the veracious record of His dealings with men from the beginning of human history. It is our unshaken belief that these sacred books were written by holy men of old, who spoke as they were moved by the holy spirit, and that this fact has the solemn witness of the apostles, and of the Lord Jesus Christ himself."

The report of the committee on church polity was next presented. It states that a communication from the committee of the General Association of the Protestant Episcopal church had been received making a request for the appointment of a committee of conference on marriage and divorce, and that overtures on the same subject had been received from the Presbyterians of Baltimore and Washington. The committee recommended the following:

"Resolved, That in response to the fraternal request of the committee of the Protestant Episcopal church, the general assembly of the Presbyterian church in the United States, appoint a committee of nine—five ministers and four elders—to confer with the committee of the Protestant Episcopal church, and with similar committees that may be appointed by other churches, with a view to securing some concerted opinion and action by the churches of America relative to divorce and remarriage, and so to affect public opinion that uniform legislation may be enacted by the state that will conserve the family institution and preserve the sanctity of the marriage bond.

"Relative to that part of the overtures from the Presbyterians of Washington and Baltimore, which ask that steps be taken to amend chapter 24, section 6, of the confession of faith, that the clause 'and such willful desertion as can in no way be remedied by the church or civil magistrate' be stricken out, the committee recommends no action until the conference report is made.

"That this general assembly, viewing with sad apprehension the many perils to family life in our time, the growing ease and frequency of divorce, upon grounds trivial and unscriptural, urges upon all our people the promotion of a wider reverence for the marriage bond, and requires of all our ministers that they instruct their people in public and private of the sacredness of the marriage institution, and that they exercise due diligence before the celebration of a marriage to ascertain that there exist no impediments thereto as defined in our confession of faith."

The resolution was passed.

Rev. Dr. Marcus A. Brownson, chairman of the special committee on the twentieth century fund, then presented his report. Rev. Dr. William Henry Roberts, stated clerk of the general assembly and treasurer of the twentieth century fund, reported that total receipts during the last two years for the fund amounted to $7,652,801. In addition to this Dr. Roberts said that about 1,000 churches had paid off their mortgages and freed themselves from debt.

UNVEILED

Statue of the Man Who Fought

Loyally for Freedom and American Independence.

Rochambeau's Memory Honored Today Before Diplomatic and Military Officials of France and America.

Washington, May 24.—At 11 o'clock today the Rochambeau statue was unveiled in the presence of French nobles, foreign diplomats and all high officials of the government and members of congress, together with an immense concourse of military and civilians. Felicitious speeches were made by Ambassador Camdon, Count de Rochambeau, Henry Cabot Lodge and many others.

Immediately at the close of the Rochambeau statue unveiling, President Roosevelt ordered the flag on the White House half masted for Pauncefote. Plans for the further entertainment of the French visitors were today abandoned.

The statue is a duplicate of the one at Vendome, France. A part of the inscription are the words of Washington to Rochambeau, dated February 1, 1784, "We have lived together as brothers should do in harmonious friendship."

In his address of welcome, President Roosevelt said in part:

"We prize this fresh proof of the friendship of the French people, not only because it is necessarily pleasing to us to have the friendship of a nation so mighty in war, so mighty in peace, as the French nation has shown itself to be, but because it is peculiarly pleasant to feel that after a century and a quarter. We are glad that the French republic should feel that we have justified the sacrifice France made on our behelf."

The Weather.

Washington, May 24.—Ohio, partly cloudy tonight and Sunday.

Wool Conditions.

Boston, May 24.—Wool sales have been decidedly larger and the volume of business this week is the largest of the year. With more machinery running, manufacturers' necessities have increased. Dealers can see nothing in the situation to warrant an advance, and recent transactions have been on the low level recently touched. The west continues active and relatively high. Foreign markets maintain all their previous strength.

City Clerk Deisner Sentenced.

Cleveland, May 24.—Judge Stone of the criminal court sentenced City Police Clerk Tony Deisner to four years' imprisonment in the penitentiary on the charge of forging police court witness fee vouchers. Deisner's stealings amounted to $8,000. He pleaded guilty to two of the four indictments returned against him by the grand jury.

SPORTING EVENTS.

Results of the Various League Games and Standing of the Clubs.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.	CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.
Pitts....	27	5	.844	Brook...	12	18	.400
Chica...	18	10	.643	Phila....	11	18	.379
N. Y....	15	14	.517	St. L....	10	17	.370
Bost....	12	15	.444	Cin'ti...	11	19	.366

AT ST. LOUIS— R. H. E.
St. Louis ..... 0 0 0 2 3 0 5 0 *—10 17 2
Boston ..... 0 0 0 3 2 0 0 1 0— 6 15 2
Batteries—Murphy, Wicker and Nichols; Eason, Pittinger and Kittridge.

AT CHICAGO— R. H. E.
Chicago ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0— 2 7 2
Philadelphia .. 0 0 1 0 0 3 1 0 0— 5 10 2
Batteries—Gardner and Chance; Fraser and Jacklitsch.

AT PITTSBURG— R. H. E.
Pittsburg ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 1— 2 5 3
New York .... 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0— 1 7 1
Batteries—Doheny and Smith; Sparks and Bowerman.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.	CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.
Chica...	14	9	.609	Bost....	14	11	.560
Det't....	14	9	.609	Balto...	11	14	.440
St. L....	13	9	.590	Wash...	10	16	.385
Phila....	14	10	.580	Cleve...	7	19	.269

AT BALTIMORE— R. H. E.
Baltimore .... 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0— 2 7 3
Detroit ..... 0 0 0 3 0 0 0 0 0— 3 7 3
Batteries—McGinnity and Robinson; Sievers and McGuire.

AT PHILADELPHIA— R. H. E.
Cleveland ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2— 2 6 0
Philadelphia .. 0 2 0 0 0 3 1 0 *— 6 12 3
Batteries—Streit and Bemis; Plank and Powers.

AT BOSTON— R. H. E.
Boston ..... 1 0 0 0 4 0 1 0 *— 6 10 3
Chicago ..... 0 2 0 1 0 0 0 0 0— 3 8 4
Batteries—Young and Criger; Griffith and Sullivan.

AT WASHINGTON— R. H. E.
Washington ... 0 5 0 0 0 0 0 0 0— 5 10 3
St. Louis ..... 2 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 3— 7 14 1
Batteries—Patten and Clark; Harper and Sugden.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.	CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.
Cols....	19	9	.679	K. C....	14	12	.538
Ind'lis..	14	8	.636	Milw....	9	15	.375
Louis...	15	9	.625	Toledo..	6	17	.260
St. P....	14	10	.586	Minn....	6	17	.260

At Kansas City—Kansas City 6, Indianapolis 9.

At St. Paul—St. Paul 10, Columbus 4.

VICTIMS

Caught Like Rats in a Trap in a British Columbia Coal Mine.

Over One Hundred Imprisoned

And There is Little Hope That Any of Them Will be Rescued Alive--The Disaster Was Caused by a Terrific Explosion.

Vancover, B. C., May 24. — One of the most terrible mine disasters in the history of the frequent accidents in British Columbia occurred in the Crow's Nest Coal company's mines at Fernie, B. C. Over 100 men are either dead or imprisoned in the mine, and little hope is entertained of rescuing any who may yet be alive. The explosion took place at 7:30 p. m. The management has a list of 133 men who are known to have been in the mine, and there are probably others. Of these only 24 are known to be safe. It is feared that few, if any, of the remaining 109 are now alive.

What caused the explosion has not yet been definitely ascertained. Many of the miners were ignorant foreigners and one of the mine shafts was always gaseous. It is reported in Fernie that the explosion resulted from the use, by a careless Italian, of an open or naked lamp. Another theory is that a miner struck a match, exploding the gas, which was almost always present in No. 2 shaft. The true cause of the disaster will probably not be positively ascertained, for it is doubtful if any man who knows will ever reach the outer air alive or be able to tell the tale.

The explosion took place in No. 2 shaft of the mine, being repeated in a few seconds in No. 3, with which it was connected. The two shafts in which the explosion occurred are situated on Coal creek, about six miles from Fernie. No. 2 has always been considered the more dangerous, being dry, dusty and gaseous. Recently the dangerous conditions which had hitherto prevailed in No. 2 tunnel had been greatly modified and improved. New fans were installed, furnishing an excess of air with 40 per cent reserve. From all available sources assistance is being rushed to the scene of the calamity. Already the work of liberation has been begun with such means as are at local command, and eight bodies have been taken from the mine. The presence of coal damp makes the work of rescue very dangerous, and is seriously hindering the efforts of the workers.

These are the outlines of a most heartrending calamity, the only disaster which has occurred in British Columbia exceeding it in magnitude being the death of 157 men in Wellington mine 18 years ago. The scene in the neighborhood of the mouth of the tunnel is distressing in the extreme, and all the more so as it is utterly impossible at this time to hold out any hope to the women, whose cries are for entombed husbands and fathers and brothers. In No. 2 tunnel, in which the first explosion occurred, from 100 to 120 men and boys are usually employed, and in No. 3 tunnel, to which the explosion extended, about 80 men generally work. In both mines there are many foreigners, and the difficulty of disciplining these men and impressing upon them the danger of the use of unprotected lights has always been very great.

DECISION

Won by Young Corbett at Denver

In His Ten-Round Contest With "Kid" Broad.

The Latter Put Up a Splendid Battle and Spectators Were Divided in Opinion as to the Winner.

Denver, May 24.—William H. Rothwell, better known to the sporting world as "Young Corbett," gained the decision over "Kid" Broad of Cleveland at the end of a fast and furious fight. Broad put up a very good fight and in the ninth round had Corbett groggy, but the Denver lad came back strong and finished the round fresh. At no time was there any time lost, both men being willing to lead and force the fighting whenever necessary. The fight Friday night was the third time this pair have met. The contest was for half the gross receipts, 75 per cent of which goes to the winner and 25 to the loser, and the featherweight championship of the world.

Corbett showed superiority in the first, second, third and fourth rounds, Broad had a shade the better of the fifth and seventh, and had Corbett groggy in the ninth. Broad seemed much stronger in the tenth, but on points the referee decided Corbett had won the battle. The crowd was divided as to the justice of the decision, many holding that Broad was entitled to a draw.

Ohio Monuments at Shiloh.

Columbus, O., May 24.—The dedication of the Ohio monuments in the Shiloh National Military park is set for June 6 and 7 next. The program has been arranged as follows: Hon. David F. Pugh, Columbus, O., chairman; presentation of monuments to the national government, Governor George K. Nash; acceptance of monuments on behalf of the United States by Colonel Cornelius Cadle, chairman National Military park commission, and representing secretary of war; by Colonel Josiah Patterson of Memphis, representing the Shiloh military park commission; by Colonel Luke Finlay of the Fourth Tennessee C. S. A., representing the state of Tennessee and the Confederate dead, and by Hon. Ralph D. Cole of Findlay, Ohio, representing Ohio and the Ohio Shiloh battlefield commission. There are 38 monuments for Ohio troops, and all but one are in place.

Herbert Brice Dead.

Lima, O., May 24. — Word was received here that Herbert L. Brice, a half brother of the late Senator Brice and a prominent attorney of this city, had suicided in a sanitarium at Flint, Mich. Herbert L. Brice was 37 years of age and graduated from Princeton 15 years ago. He was a member of the law firm of Wheeler & Brice and a director of the first National bank of this city. At the death of Senator Brice he assisted in the settling up of the estate. His mental forces began to fail last fall from overwork, and he was taken to the Oak Grove sanitarium at Flint last October. The body will be brought home for interment.

Mrs. Huntington's Offer.

New York, May 24.—Mrs. C. P. Huntington has offered $100,000 to the general memorial hospital for the treatment of cancer and allied diseases for pathological purposes. The announcement of the offer is made in the annual report of the president of the hospital, John E. Parsons. President Parsons said that Mrs. Huntington had proposed to pay this sum in the hospital, and that if her intention was carried out the gift would constitute a "Collis P. Huntington fund."

Licking River on a Rampage.

Cincinnati, May 24. — Heavy rains caused a sudden freshet in the Licking river, which empties into the Ohio between Covington and Newport, Ky. The great volume of water poured into the Ohio river with great force, tearing loose barges and all kinds of water craft along with shanty boats. Tugs were sent after the floating property, but several barges of coal were sunk. There are fears that some of the occupants of houseboats carried away have been drowned.

Asked For a Conference.

Washington, May 24.—Upon the convening of the house Mr. Wadsworth (N. Y.) presented the conference report on the agricultural bill for printing in the record. The house disagreed to the senate amendments to the bill to prevent the false branding or marking of food or dairy products and asked for a conference.

General Wheaton Sails.

Manilla, May 24.—General Lloyd Wheaton received a great ovation as he boarded the United States transport Sherman on his way home. The sailing of the steamer, however, was delayed by a typhoon.

Live Stock Markets.

East Liberty, May 24.—Cattle light, steady; hogs slow; sheep slow.

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SOCIETY and the CLUBS.

A most unique party yesterday afternoon was the one at Trinity parsonage, being an "Echo meeting" given by the Home Missionary Society of Trinity church to the following ladies who were returning from the missionary meeting at Van Wert: Mrs. S. C. Wright, of Bowling Green; Mrs. Daniel Stecker, of Perrysburg; Mrs. L. J. Turley and Mrs. J. J. Zellar, of Findlay; Mrs. J. C. Maddy, of Perrysburg; Mrs. D. M. Baily and Mrs. J. F. Furman, of Ottawa; Mrs. W. G. Waters and Miss Wilcox, of Sidney; Mrs. J. C. Myers, of De Graff; Mrs. E. E. McCamon, Mrs. R. B. Vanderhoff, Miss Botefuler, Mrs. James Stack, Mrs. S. Gugle, Mrs. W. O. Field, Mrs. R. G. Manning, Mrs. John King, Mrs. Gascongue and Miss Ella Lathrop, all of Toledo. A delightful social meeting with interesting reports from the Van Wert meeting brought profit and pleasure to visitors and home ladies and before the guests left for their homes, dainty refreshments were served.

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Yesterday afternoon Mrs. O. W. Bell, of Jameson avenue, gave a pretty little tea in honor of Mrs. George Albrecht's friend, Mrs. Saylor, of Richmond, Ind. The other guests were Mrs. R. Truesdale, Mrs. B. S. Moulton, Mrs. T. G. Laney, Mrs. J. J. Wyre, Mrs. Harry Moulton, Mrs. Geo. McDonald, Mrs. Hollister, Mrs. Geo. Mehaffey, Mrs. F. Drake and Mrs. S. D. Downing.

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Mrs. J. D. Roush, of west High street, entertained a few friends informally last evening.

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The Wimodaughsis circle will meet next Thursday afternoon with Mrs. John Clizbie, of north Collet street.

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Last evening Miss Blanche Marmon, of west Market street, entertained a few friends informally in honor of her house guest, Miss Smiley, of New Bloomfield, Pa.

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Last evening Mrs. Nichols, of south West street, entertained a number of friends very pleasantly.

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Mrs. J. J. Ewing leaves tonight for Philadelphia, where her daughter, Madge, will graduate from the Walnut Lane Seminary at Germantown, in a few days.

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Miss Maud Adams, of north Baltimore, is the guest of Miss Helen Mackenzie, of west Market street for a few days.

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Mrs. Walter B. Richie returned today from a short stay in Detroit.

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Mrs. M. C. Jacobs, of Bridgeport, Delaware, has returned home, after a visit with Dr. and Mrs. T. K. Jacobs, of Bellefontaine avenue.

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Mrs. A. F. Bennett, of south West street, was the hostess who entertained the Industrial circle very pleasantly, Thursday afternoon.

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The Modern Priscilla club will enjoy an outing Thursday afternoon at McBeth's lake. Their guests will be their husbands and children.

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Mrs. T. P. Johnson, of west Market street, entertained M. C. Jacobs, of Bridgeville, Del.

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Mrs. Charles Fenner, of west Spring street, was the hostess for the Modern Priscilla club Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Elmer Morris and Mrs. F. M. Longsworth also being her guests.

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Saturday evening, Mrs. George Bashore, of south Main street, entertained a congenial company in compliment to Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Weadock, who formerly lived on west Wayne street, but have now moved to Toledo. Music, dancing and feasting were the pleasures entered into until a late hour when all said farewell to the honor guests, whom they are sorry to have leave this city.

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Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Leist, of south Pine street, entertained the Ride A Wee club, her extra guests being Mrs. Vanaita and Mrs. Jacobs. Progressive pedro was enjoyed, Mrs. Wm. Roberts securing the trophy, a pretty picture.

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Tuesday evening Mrs. N. J. Lowery, of west Spring street, entertained fifteen ladies in honor of Mrs. L. J. Weadock.

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The Chautauquans have elected as officers for the ensuing year: Miss Gordon, president; Miss Carter, vice president; Miss Hunton, secretary; Miss Flora Bower, critic. Holding their business meeting at the home of Miss Clara Reed, Monday evening.

The marriage of Mrs. Eliza J. Grafton's daughter, Olive, to Mr. Edwin L. Kirk, will take place about the middle of June.

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Mr. and Mrs. Stillson, of east High street, were host and hostess for the Rushmere club and a few friends last evening, entertaining them in a delightful manner at progressive pedro and then at an appetizing supper.

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Thursday evening Miss Wilkie Kahle who left today for Buffalo, N. Y., was given a merry farewell party at the home of her aunt, Mrs. D. C. Henderson, of west Spring street. About forty young people surprised her.

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Last evening Mr. and Mrs. John Baugh, of west High street entertained the Social club very delightfully, their honor guests being Miss Stouffer, of Logansport, Ind., and Miss McNabb, of South Bend, Ind. The additional guests were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coulter, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. White, Mr. and Mrs. Harry McCune, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. McCune, Mr. Kennard Hover, Miss Nellie White and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Agerter. Progressive pedro formed the amusement of the evening.

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Mrs. J. C. Ebling, of the Glide road, will be the hostess for the Sunshine club next Saturday afternoon.

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Monday afternoon Mrs. A. Miesse, of south Collet street, entertained the Narcissus club and Mrs. Henry Heman, Mrs. Charles Mann and Mrs. Jacob Piper.

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Mrs. F. C. McCoy, of west Market street, will be the hostess for the Pheonix club next Wednesday afternoon.

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Monday afternoon the Arbutus club closed their years work with a session at the home of Mrs. Harry Moulton, of west Market street.

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Mrs. Louis Plait, of north Pierce street, gave a very pretty progressive euchre party Saturday afternoon to about fifty ladies. The decorations were all in dainty green and white with snowy peonies for flowers. Mrs. J. C. Thompson won the first prize, a silver bon bon dish and tongs. Mrs. J. K. Bannister won the second, a pretty painted plate. A bowl of refreshing frappe was enjoyed during the game and a dainty tea at the close.

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Mrs. A. A. Llewellyn, of west High street, was the hostess for the Round Table Monday afternoon. The annual election of officers occurred, the roster for 1902 and 1903 being as follows: President, Mrs. J. M. Campbell; vice president, Mrs. Louis Fall; secretary, Mrs. J. H. Phillips; treasurer, Mrs. F. B. Lewis; critic, Mrs. W. A. Kincaid; assistant critic, Mrs. G. F. Robinson. The new names enrolled as members were: Mrs. R. K. Floeter, Mrs. John Overy and Mrs. E. G. Burton.

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The Faithful Helpers will meet next Wednesday with Mrs. W. Newcomer, of south Jackson street.

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Mrs. John Clizbie, of north Collet street, will be the hostess for the Wimodaughsis circle next Thursday afternoon.

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The Round Table will hold their closing session for this season next Monday afternoon with Mrs. Fred Louthan, of south West street.

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Monday afternoon Mrs. George Albrecht, of Jameson avenue, gave a delightful little thimble party in honor of her mother, Mrs. Ford, of Mansfield and her friend, Mrs. Saylor, of Richmond, Ind.

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The A. F. club anticipate a merry afternoon next Thursday, when they will all be the guests of Mrs. W. H. Leete in her country home.

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The Culture club will meet with Mrs. Clark, of east High street next Tuesday afternoon.

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The Arbutus club members accompanied by their husbands and Mr. Merl Langan, Miss Florence Campbell and Miss Sabine Carnes, all journeyed to Wapakoneta Wednesday evening, where they banqueted at the Steinberg, sitting down to the inviting tables beautifully decorated with green and white where four excellent courses were enjoyed. The toast mistress of the evening, Mrs. W. L. Mackenzie, presented the various speakers, who responded as follows: Old Streams in New Channels, Mr. Ralph Warner; Fair Italy, Mrs. E. M. Gooding; Ourselves as Others See Us, Dr. S. A. Baxter; Man's Value in Society, Mrs. James Langan. On leaving the table, music was the next pleasure, Mrs. Clement S. Baxter sang "A Lesson from the Birds" by J. D. Campbell. Mrs. Horace Mann sang "A Promise of Life, and Miss Campbell sang "Good-day Suzon." The homeward ride by moonlight closing a delightful evening.

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Thursday afternoon was held the reception given by Mrs. John E. Richie Mrs. Frank F. Leland and Mrs. H. Lester Harrod at the home of Judge Richie on west Wayne street. The ladies in the receiving line were in pretty reception toilettes and flowers of springtime were used effectively with a background of asparagus fern and palms. The efficient assistants were Mrs. Frank Boone, Mrs. Louis Fall, Mrs. W. J. Richie, Mrs. G. M. McCullough, Mrs. Wm. Stewart, Mrs. George Taylor, Mrs. Wm. DuGray, Mrs. John Roby, Mrs. D. J. Cable, Mrs. LeRoy Galvin, Mrs. John Miller and Mrs. F. T. Cuthbert, Miss Ella Mackenzie, Miss Jessie Altschel, Misses Lillian and Annie Taylor, Miss Lillian Wyker and Mrs. Eaton, of Bluffton. The dining room was beautiful with an immense bouquet of pink peonies on the round table Dainty refreshments were well served and souvenirs of choice pink and white carnations given each guest. An orchestra screened in a nook formed of old glory and palms, played throughout the happy hours.

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The Spinet club will be entertained next Thursday afternoon by Mrs. Sam Finch, of west Elm street.

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Mrs. Annie Zimmerman was the hostess for Las Mujers Wednesday afternoon. The successful holder of high scores was Mrs George Bassler, who received a pretty fruit set. Mrs. Charles Ackerman was more than consoled by receiving a nice cracker jar.

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Mrs. J. L. Andrews, of west Market street was at home to the Sutorium Circle yesterday afternoon, her guest list also including Mrs. Charles Moore, Miss Gertrude Sealts and Miss Bonnie Miesse.

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Mrs. J. E. Dalton, of north Metcalf street will entertain next Thursday afternoon in compliment to Miss Olive Grafton.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wemmer, of west Wayne street will open their beautiful home next Tuesday evening to the Las Mujers and their husbands.

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Mr. and Mrs. James A. Elder, of south Pierce street, entertained at dinner Thursday in compliment to Mrs. Jacobs, of Baltimore.

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The Culture club will meet next Tuesday with Mrs. Clark, of east High street.

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Mrs. Wm. Wemmer entertained the Culture club very pleasantly Tuesday afternoon.

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Mrs. Joseph Jones, of Muncie, Ind., is the gust of her sister, Mrs. Elmer B. Mitchell for a fortnight.

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Dancing will be in order after the performance during the week the same as last year, and on Sundays and holidays a matinee performance will be given.

Tickets for the round trip, including admission to the grounds, will be sold for 15 cents, and can be purchased at the Western Ohio railway office or at the station in the public square.

Many improvements have been made at the park this season, such as will be of much convenience to the visitors.

JUST

Across the State Line

Into Indiana

Oil Interest Has Been Revived

Because of Several Recent Producers Above the Average.

Grant County Leading the List in the Hoosier State—Latest News of the Indiana Oil Field.

Along the Indiana state line some excellent producers have been completed within the past week, and two or three of them are away above the average. In Black Creek township, Mercer county, the Ohio Oil company's No. 2, Grawberger, in section 30, did 156 barrels during the first 24 hours, and in section 31, their No. 4 H. R. Baker, did 120 barrels the first day. No. 3 on this farm was a 115 barrel producer and the same company has 90 barrel well in its No. 5, A. Koch, same section. In section 32 their No. 1, M. E. Mills, did 15 barrels at the start. In section 30, the Sun Oil company got 20 barrels from their No. 2 on the H. R. Baker farm. In Greenville township, Mercer county, the new well drilled by the Piqua Oil company on the farm of P. Frey, in section 24, is pumping off a copious supply of the saline fluid.

JUST ACROSS THE LINE.

In the state line pool, just across the Hoosier border, two big wells were completed this week, both owned by the Central Western Oil company. They are credited with having made 100 barrels each during the first 24 hours after being shot, and are the company's Nos. 2, M. Cottrell, section 31, Blue Creek township, Adams county, and 4, M. Miller, in section 36, Monroe township.

TRIO OF NEW ONES.

McKisson & Argue have a trio of new wells in Jefferson township, Adams county, one of which is good for 90 barrels, while the others made 30 barrels each during the first day. The former is located on the C. C. Collins farm, in section 30, being their fourth well; the latter are Nos. 3 and 4, Blosser, in section 31. In section 30, the Tippecanoe Oil company also has a test completed on the J. McUllum farm, its production being reported at 18 barrels. The Preston Oil company's first well on the Frank Knepper farm, section 8, did 15 barrels the first day. Two 40 barrel wells have been completed in Wabash township, Adams county, one by Wm. P. Delat on the G. W. Pyle farm, section 29, and the other by the Michigan Oil company on the A. Bolds farm, section 31. Both are No. 2 wells.

BEST IN INDIANA.

Of the entire Indiana field Grant county is at present furnishing the really genuine settled operations and is coming to the front with some of the best producers secured since the Hoosier territory was opened. While the Grant county field is in no sense new stuff, it is only within the last few months that work could be so vigorously prosecuted as the indications warranted, and the results will be apparent when the averages for the coming six months are made out.

The first day's gauge of the Ohio Oil company's No. 2 well on the Howard Lee farm, in section 1, Washington, Grant county, which is located two miles west of previous developments, shows it to be 30 bbl producer, better than the first well drilled and about on a level with the second one completed. Bayless & Haskell's No. 1, Bragg, which is located in section 12, did 30 bbls the first 24 hours and one of the same calibre was secured by the Southwestern Petroleum company in its test on the Henry Wine farm. In the same section the Ohio Oil company's No. 2, Bradford, did 40 bbls during the first day. In section 29, Washington, the Hudson Oil company's test on the Philip Matter farm is still pumping salt water but will make a 15 bbl well.

The Van Buren township district holds first place in the number of big producers, nearly all of them running up to the standard where ample returns result. In section 7, Bayless & Haskell's No. 12, on the productive Creviston farm, did 60 bbls the first day. In section 32, the Ohio Oil company's No. 4, Daniel Pulley, has been completed and is yet pumping off a supply of saline fluid.

One well has been completed in Center township since last report, the Southwestern Petroleum Co.'s No. 8, Charles Campbell farm, in section 34. It did 30 barrels during the first 24 hours.

In section 11, Franklin township, No. 3 well drilled by the Marion Fruit Jar Co. on the Wiley and Gray farm was only a 5-barrel producer.

BIG GASSER.

In Delaware county, the Muncie Oil Co.'s No. 1 well on the McGalliard farm, in section 1, Center township, proved to be a big gasser. The Rock Oil Co. got a simillar product from their No. 1, Arbegast, in section 9, Liberty township. In section 13, Liberty, the first day's report of the Monroe Oil Co.'s test on the Murray farm is that it was doing 5 barrels of oil. The Home Gas and Oil company got a 20-barrel producer in their No. 2, Dunkle, in section 16, while in section 17, the Heat, Light and Power company's No. 2, Burtt, is pumping salt water. To the eastward of Muncie, in section 33, Monroe township, Randolph county, the Smith Neely Oil company's No. 4, Keever, did 30 barrels during the first day after it was put to pumping.

In Madison county, the Consumers' Gas Trust Co. has finally completed its test on the Pernod farm, section 8, Monroe township, and it made a 5-barrel producer. The Consumers' Gas Trust company has a dry hole in its No. 1 well on the M. Ellsworth farm, in section 35, Van Buren township.

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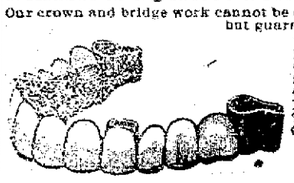

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Rouben White Sells His Property in Kansas—Trial Sermon at Main Street Presbyterian Church Tomorrow.

The south Lima fire department responding to an alarm, made a run to the home of Frank Schott, at the corner of Madison and Franklin avenues yesterday evening at seven-twenty o'clock. A lively blaze was in progress when the department arrived. The flames were soon extinguished with only slight damage resulting.

Going to Shiloh.

Rueben White, of south Central avenue will attend the dedication of the monument in memory of the Ohio soldiers who participated in the historic battle of Shiloh. The dedicatory services will occur in the Shilo National park, June 6th and 7th. The address of presentation will be delivered by Governor George K. Nash. Speech of acceptance for the government will be made by Col. Cornelius Codle. Special orator of the day will be Ralph D. Cole, of Findlay.

Pathfinders Convention.

The district convention of the Pathfinders was held at Ada, yesterday. Quite a number from south Lima attended.

Trial Sermon.

Rev. Charles J. McCracken, of west Liberty, will occupy the pulpit at the south Main street Presbyterian church tomorrow. Mr. McCracken is a candidate for the pastorate for the church to succeed Rev. G. W. Smith, resigned.

Sold His Farm.

Reuben White, of south Central avenue, has completed the sale of his farm in Kiawo county, Kansas. The land is located in the celebrated wheat belt. Mr. White will receive the grain from thirty acres of the tract. Wm. Blair, who is now in this locality engaging employes for the farmers of the state, says the yield this year will be greater than ever before. He has the task of securing about twenty thousand men and three thousand teams. Even with this enormous army of workmen, it is feared large tracts of wheat cannot be successfully harvested.

Convalescing.

Harvey Young, of Broadway, who has been at the city hospital to receive treatment for a malignant malady, is improving nicely. He was able to be about town today for the first time in several weeks.

Critically Ill.

Mrs. Frank McKennon, is in a serious condition at her home in south Lima. She was visiting relatives at Carey when she became ill. To add to her misfortune she accidentally fell down a flight of stairs severely injuring her spine. She was brought home yesterday evening in an alarming condition.

Personals.

Rev. J. V. Updyke, of Celina, enroute home from the missionary convention at Columbus, spent last night with his son-in-law, Rev. G. W. Sims, of east Kibby street. Mr. Sims also had for a guest yesterday evening his brother-in-law, Carey Blaunt, of Fort Wayne, Ind.

C. S. Reed, of south Main street, returned yesterday from a business trip through eastern Ohio.

Miss Roseva Ishem, of east Kibby street, attended the high school commencement at Bluffton, last night. She is a member of the alumni.

Mrs. J. M. Hussay, of Spencerville, is being entertained by relatives on Broadway.

Mrs. W. H. Roberts, of south Elizabeth street, is home from a prolonged stay at Sandusky, for the benefit of her health.

Mrs. C. F. Taylor, of south Main street, is receiving a visit from her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Campbell, of Jersey City.

Mrs. Charles Rapp is here from Peru, Ind., on account of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. J. Schaffer, of south Elizabeth street.

Cora, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Taylor, of south Main street, inflicted a deep gash above her left eye by falling against a stand.

Mrs. J. B. Kennedy Jr., left this morning for Cleveland, where she will morning for Cleveland, where her husband has secured employment.

George Mack is at Huntington, Ind., upon a business mission.

Mrs. J. W. Gorman attended the Pathfinder's convention at Ada yesterday.

Mrs. William Walthers, of south Jackson street, has for her guest, Miss Gladys Pepple, of Waynesfield.

J. W. Hubert and wife, of Roundhead, are visitors at C. S. Thomas', on south Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown, of west Kibby street, are the proud parents of a pretty baby girl that came to reside with them, yesterday.

J. B. Lomison, of south Main street, is attending the carnival at Louisville, Kentucky.

J. Dickey, of Continental, is visiting C. A. Clay.

Mrs. John Stanyer returned last night from a brief stay with friends in Ada.

David Spangler and wife, who have been at the home of their daughter, Mrs. J. S. Shaffer, of south Jackson street, will leave shortly for their home at Noblesville, Ind.

E. D. Shaffer, of south Main street, is entertaining Arthur Shade, of Glenmore.

TIRED OUT.

There's many a farmer's wife sits on the porch in the growing shadows of a summer evening, knowing to the full what it is to feel tired out; as if there was not another ounce of effort left in her. But she knows how sound her slumber will be and how refreshed the morning will find her. That's the tiredness of a healthy woman. But it's another thing for the sick woman to feel tired out. Rest only seems to increase her suffering. Just as in profound silence a discord jars the ear more forcibly, so now that she has stopped moving about, this tired woman feels more acutely the aching back and throbbing nerves.

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STABLE AND SILO.

An Ohio Plan—Very Convenient In Caring For Cattle.

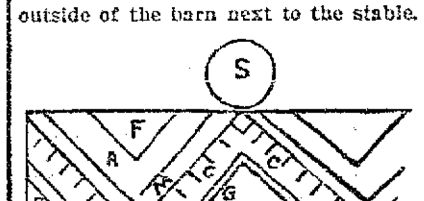
The diagram shows the arrangement of a new stable and silo built with a view to convenience in feeding and caring for cattle, of which a correspondent has the following to say in the Ohio Farmer:

The stanchions, instead of running lengthwise of the stable, as is the usual plan, are placed in rows at right angles across the stable, but leaving a space on one side for a walk. On the side of the right angles next to the walk are the stanchions and manure gutters. On the other side are the mangers, feed alleys and shoots for feeding hay and silage and feed bins. Under the walk is a manure vat made of matched pine plank, and the gutters are so arranged that the manure can be pushed along into the vat without lifting it.

At one end of the vat it is so arranged that a wagon can be driven under it and loaded by hitching a team to a scraper made to fit in the vat and draw the manure to the end where the wagon stands under it, when it drops down into the wagon. By this arrangement there is no lifting of the manure to get it into the wagon, as it is pushed along the gutters into the vat and then scraped out by horse power. The manure vat is covered with trapdoors made of plank and in sections so that they can be lifted up. This space over the vat makes the alley where the cows are driven in the stable.

The barn is a three story building, with the bays for hay over the stable, so the hay can all be pitched down the shoots into the feeding alleys. The silage can be pitched out of the silo into a truck which is run along the feeding alleys when feeding the cattle. As to economy of space, with this arrangement of stanchions about thirty-five cows can be kept in a stable 30 by 50 feet, while with the former arrangement thirty cows were kept in the stable.

A round or tub silo was built on the outside of the barn next to the stable.



PLAN OF STABLE AND SILO.
S, silo; F, feed bin; A, feed alley; M, manger; C, stanchions; G, gutter; V, manure vat, under wall.

The foundation and bottom of the silo were made of stone and cement. The dimensions of the silo are 20 feet high and 15 feet in diameter. The sills are made of two inch plank, cut in short pieces and laid double and spiked together, but first cutting them so they will form a circle. The top plank was notched every foot to hold the end of the studding resting on it. The studding of 2 by 6 scantling, 16 feet long, were splized by lapping them and spiking them together. These were set up one foot apart and the bottom of each one securely spiked to the sill and held in place by stay lathing them until the boards were nailed on.

Hardwood boards three-fourths of an inch thick were bent so they could be nailed horizontally around the studding, then thick building paper was put on, and then another thickness of boards was put on in the same way, thus double boarding it, with paper between the boards. The silo is so close to the barn that it was covered by an extension of the barn roof over it and in this way attaching the silo to the barn. Several openings were made in the side of the silo, with doors on the inside fitting tightly over them. A shoot from these openings carries the ensilage to the stable below.

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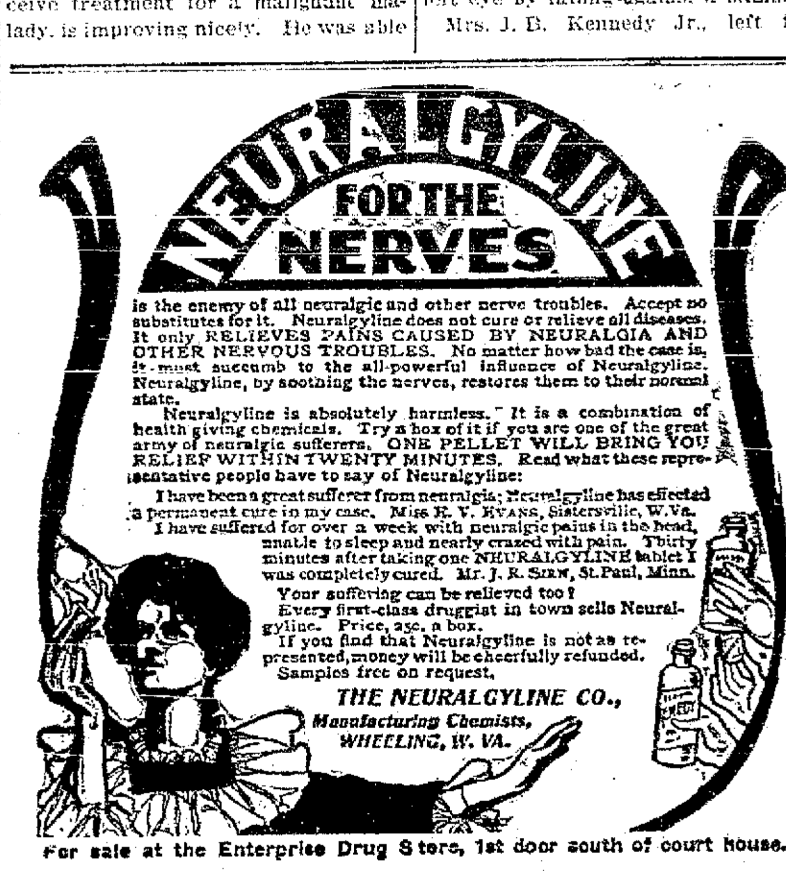

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TALK

Of Erecting Several Arches in

Wapakoneta

Local Merchants Consider the Matter.

Auglaize Street Would Then Resemble Broad Street of Columbus.

Large Crowd Expected to Witness the Ball Game Tomorrow Between the Reds and the Piqua Nationals.

Wapakoneta, Ohio, May 24.—The business men of the town have been talking of erecting arches across Auglaize street for incandescent lights, similar to those in Columbus, and the council has grantedthem the privilege of doing so. At present it is the intention to erect five of the arches, to be placed at the Burnet house corner Steinberg corner, postoffice corner and corner of Kreitzer block. The cost of erection will be met by popular subscription and lights will be on every night until eleven o'clock.

C. H. & D. ASSESSED.

G. A. Orphal, county auditor, attended the meeting of auditors of the counties through which the C. H. & D. passes; the road was assessed at $8,500 per mile for main line, $2,500 for sidings, rolling stock $1,800 and money and credits, $250.

VERDICT OF ASSAULT.

After being in session two days the case of the state against William Strobel was concluded last night. The jury after being out a short time returned a verdict of assault.

NEW CIVIC SUIT.

Mary M. Snyder has brought suit in common pleas court to foreclose a mortgage against T. J. Blakeley and wife, on a note for $308, dated February 11, 1901, and due in one year, bearing six per cent interest. Blakeley is a well known doctor of St. Johns. The property in question is part of lots 29 and 30, St. Johns. L. N. Blume is also made a party defendant, as having some other lien on the property, which he is required to show.

LIKE DAVID HARUM.

William V. DuBois against Isiah A. Powell is the style of a case carried up from 'Squire Van Anda's court. The bill of particulars says that on March 21 the defendant sold plaintiff a horse for $125, which was warranted sound, but that it was not sound and died six days later from lung fever which it had at time of sale. The plaintiff spent $7.59 for doctor bill, hence he asks judgment for $132.50.

GOOD GAME EXPECTED.

After the ball game tomorrow the Wapakoneta Reds expect to perfect their organization by selecting a season manager and other officers. Tomorrow's game promises to be a warm one all the way through, and the Piqua Nationals will spare no pains to win. A special train will arrive about noon carrying a crowd of four hundred rooters. But when it comes to rooting they will find that Wapakoneta is also on earth.

CLASS OF 1900 MEETS.

The class of 1900 Wapakoneta high school held a meeting last night at the home of Miss Harriet McLain to choose one of the members to respond at the alumni reception. Charles E. Morris, was chosen for this office. The class of 1902 have selected Harry Doering to perform the same duty for them.

PERSONAL.

Charles H. Adkins, Allen county's candidate for congress, was in the city last evening.

Attorneys John H. Koenig and L. M. Sikes, of St. Marys, were in town yesterday.

B. W. Layton has returned home from Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Velt are visiting relatives and friends at Louisville, Kentucky.

Commencement gift books at Green's book store.

FATED MARTINIQUE.

SCENE OF THE RECENT VOLCANIC DISASTER.

St. Pierre, the Modern Pompeii, Was Called the Paris of the West Indies—Characteristics of the Island and Its Inhabitants.

The island of Martinique, where the recent disastrous volcanic disturbance took place, with the neighboring island of Guadeloupe, forms the last of the French possessions in the West Indies. Martinique is about 350 miles southeast of Porto Rico. The island's greatest length is forty-three miles and the mean width fifteen miles.

A cluster of volcanic mountains in the north, a similar group in the south and a line of lower heights between them form the backbone of the island, which culminates in Mont Pelee, which rises 4,450 feet above the level of the sea.

The volcanic origin of Martinique is unmistakable. It abounds in warm and hot springs, and there are six craters of volcanoes to be found in different parts of the island, most of them extinct. Mont Pelee, however, has occasionally been active, an eruption occurring in 1851, and its mutterings have always been a source of terror to the inhabitants.

St. Pierre, which was practically obliterated during the recent eruption of Mont Pelee, was the principle city of the island of Martinique and the largest settlement in the French West Indies.

Fort-de-France, the capital of the colony, is ten miles south of St. Pierre and has a population of about 15,000. In 1839 this city was destroyed by an earthquake, but subsequently rebuilt.

The city of St. Pierre had a population of 25,000, about twice the population of Pompeii, wiped out by Vesuvius in A. D. 79. It was situated on the northwest coast of the island, but a few miles from the volcano. Lying on the shores of the Caribbean sea, the town was divided into two parts by a rivulet, over which have been erected several handsome bridges. Numerous public buildings, schools, a handsome

CRATER OF MONT PELEE.

theater and many beautiful residences made it the Paris of the French islands.

The volume of business done was in sugar, coffee, tobacco and cotton, the products of the island of Martinique, which covers an area of 380 square miles. On the whole island, and especially in St. Pierre, the population is dense, composed largely of negroes and mulattoes. Instead of the old Caribbean race Martinique possesses a population that is varied in color, and a mingling of races is found there such as is met in no other part of the West Indies.

Quaint customs prevailed in the now vanished city. When a child was lost, the town crier went abroad ringing a bell and calling attention to the fact. When the streets became dusty, he rang his bell and cried, "Arresez" (sprinkle the street), a command that if neglected involved a fine. The dust of Pelee now lies deep on the ruined town, but the voice of the bellman is silent. Few are left of its once busy thousands.

St. Pierre was well paved, picturesque and beautiful. It had always been lively and commercially active. It had a wonderful supply of good water. Coming from the mountains, the water ran down the streets in miniature rivers—sometimes in an open gutter in the middle of the street, sometimes in a smaller gutter on each side. This open water was entirely for cooling and cleansing purposes. The drinking water ran in pipes, and at short intervals in the streets were drinking fountains. The botanical garden in St. Pierre was pronounced one of the most beautiful in the world. Close to the garden were the old dueling grounds, where hundreds of names were carved on stone of those who fell on the "field of honor."

It was in Martinique that Josephine, empress of the French, was born, and the people are very proud of that fact. When Josephine was poor and separated from her husband, Napoleon Bonaparte, she returned to Martinique and spent several years there. The people of St. Pierre, where she lived, erected a beautiful monument to her memory.

Last year Martinique was visited by a terrible hurricane which wrought destruction throughout the West Indies, and several hundred lives were lost. Several times during the last century it has suffered from earthquakes and volcanic eruptions, but this last awful disaster is without parallel in the world's history.

SURE

Go is Third Electric Line.

Force of Men

At Work This Week on the Road Bed

And Cars will Soon be Running from Lima to Bellefontaine.

C. A. Henry was in the City in the Interest of the Road and it is Being Pushed in Every Quarter.

The promise of a north and south electric railroad has been held up to Lima for some time past, but there now seems to be an absolute assurance of the rapid competition of the road to be known as the Toledo, Columbus, Springfield and Cincinnati line. As Toledo capitalists are furnishing the money to complete the enterprise, an assurance from that source that there are to be no further delays is indeed gratifying.

A number of right of ways were filed with the county recorder last week which about completes that part of the work between here and Bellefontaine, and the construction has progressed as far as to see the laying of rails. C. A. Henry, formerly of the Clover Leaf road, was here this week and now has a force of men working on the road bed between here and Westminster.

The citizens of Ottawa are pleased to welcome the project and the Putnam County Sentinel, speaking for the people has the following to say:

"The line as laid out passes through some of the best territory and towns of the state, and there is no reason why it should not prove a good thing. The eastern terminus is Columbus, from which point the line will first be built through Bellefontaine to Lima, and from there will parallel the C. H. & D. to Toledo. The section between Lima and Bellefontaine is expected to be in operation within thirty days, and the entire line from Columbus to Toledo is to be finished by the first of November. As soon as this is accomplished the road will be extended from Bellefontaine to Cincinnati, thus furnishing a direct north and south route through the entire state. The road has ample backing and is an assured go. The company is determined to construct it on an honest business basis.

"No preferred stock is issued and no bonds floated and the claim that every dollar is being paid as the road is built, will meet with favor everywhere, and constitute one of the strongest possible bids for patronage. The road is to be standard gauge and will be so constructed and equipped that it can be used for both passengers, U. S. mail, baggage and freight. In the passenger service fine vestibuled cars will be used. Such a road would be a good thing for the country through which it passes, and it is to be hoped that nothing will occur to retard its progress toward completion.

"Mr. E. H. Van Wey, of the stock department, was in Ottawa last week and again on Monday of this week. He is enthusiastic over the project and assured us that Ottawa would have a north and south electric road by November first. A map of the line and the territory through which it passes may be seen at this office."

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Destroy Your Bric-a-brac.

The first impulse of those who would become civilized is to rid themselves of things, and they hasten the hour of freedom by presenting their unholy possessions to less enlightened households—a cheap vase to a sewing woman, a gilded broiler, tied with blue ribbons and used as a paper rack, to some innocent dependent. But this is profoundly selfish and irresponsible. It purges the original owner of the horror, but it only passes it along to afflict humanity. There is but one road to freedom—destruction of things!

A fire in the back yard fed with wooden shoes can be relied upon; purple jars, not being combustible, might be drowned in the depths of the sea; brass dragons with curly tails, called candlesticks, awkward to hold, with no human touch of imagination or handicraft about them, therefore neither useful nor beautiful, might be disposed of to the junk man; plush things without a name seem to demand the ash barrel, for the vital purity of fire repudiates them, and they do not burn well; tidies are prehistoric, but if any have survived the ash barrel is also their true home.—Margaret Deland in Harper's Bazar.

Physical Culture.

Many people think that "physical culture" means to don a gymnasium suit and go through a few calisthenics. It means so much more than that. It means the science of living—how to be strong mentally, morally and physically; how to make the most of one's life, to know what to eat; how to take care of the body; how to exercise; how to rest. It is learning to control one's nerves. The game of basket ball, combining, as it does, the exercise of both the mental and physical powers, found instant recognition among the directors of the physical training schools for women, and it may be said to mark the introduction of the true athletic spirit in women's colleges. Basket ball supplies a long felt want and combines the beneficial results obtained from the rope, bar, running, jumping and other gymnasium exercises and has the additional interest and spirit of competitive sport.

Richest Woman In the Pacific.

Mrs. Emma E. Forsythe, whose father was an American citizen and whose mother was the daughter of a Samoan chief, is believed to be the richest woman of all living in the south Pacific islands. Her father was American consul in Samoa many years ago, and she was born there. At the age of eighteen, having been well educated, she married an Englishman, who soon died, leaving her a small estate. This was thirty years ago. Mrs. Forsythe began trading in different parts of the south seas and made money fast. She now lives on the island of Neu Pommern, one of the Bismarck archipelago, owned by Germany, where she has a plantation of 122,000 acres, with fifty European employees and hundreds of natives. Other lands on the islands are also owned by Mrs. Forsythe.

Bedroom Punishments.

Bedroom punishments for children are extremely bad and the shutting up of little ones in darkened rooms and cupboards absolutely wicked. This has been known to be the cause of much unhappiness in after life. The telling of alarming stories by ignorant nursemaids, too, cannot be too sternly and promptly checked. If we wish our young children to go to bed happy when night comes, we should carefully guard against any bad impressions being connected with that time. There is no doubt that the child who sings herself to sleep at night is the one whose night's rest will be most beneficial and whose mental powers will increase properly with the rest of her body.

The Dutch Linen Chest.

A visit to the linen chest of a Dutch housewife is always a delight. It may be noticeable that some piles of the snowy table and bed linen are tied with blue ribbon and others with pink ribbon. If so, it will be explained that each represents complete sets, one of which is in use this year and the other waiting its turn next year. The edges of the piles will be as regular as if they had been cut with a knife.

The Nasal Douche.

A writer in The Lancet says that children should be taught to use the nasal douche when they are taught to use the toothbrush. If the organ were daily cleansed, he says, with a slightly astringent douche, such as a weak solution of sea salt, colds and germ diseases would be much less frequent.

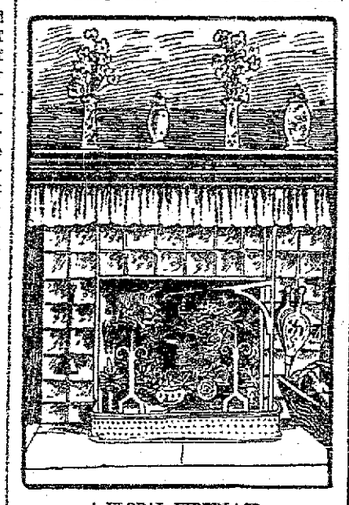
A FIREPLACE GARDEN.

It May Be Made as Attractive as One In a Window.

Of a number of excellent plans for screening or decorating a fireplace none is more sensible or ornamental than that of turning it into a sort of fernery. Ferns, ivy, swamp lilies, periwinkles and two or three varieties of oriental iris love to root in cool, dark, moist places, and, properly drained and planted, a fireplace garden can be made just as attractive as one in a window.

One woman whose cottage drawing room is provided with a very old fashioned square brick fireplace, in which the antique crane still swings and above which the narrow mantelshelf is set very high, resorted to very simple measures for beautifying it during the summer. She bought three copper pots, such as the florists hang in their windows full of flowers. These she had filled with earth and planted with green things that love the shade, and, stringing them along the crane, she effectively screened the smoke blackened cavern where the flames had leaped all winter.

Many of her friends have since had polished steel cranes fixed in their modern fireplaces, and on these they have hung brass kettles and bowls,



A FLORAL FIREPLACE.

and one went so far as to have her bric-a-brac dealer hunt up for her a true old fashioned, three legged iron crane pot.

By another equally pleasing arrangement the florist will measure a fireplace and build a special floral hearth box. He makes this box of beaten brass or copper or tiles or painted wood and roots in it iris and lilies and green upstanding things that will shut off the view of the grate or the gap left by the removal of the firedogs and logs with a wall of color and verdure that is a delightful ornament to any room.

Woman's Lot In Persia.

Theoretically the Persian woman is about on the mental plane of the guinea hen. From all part or lot in the interests of the thinking, acting world she is traditionally disqualified. Her spirit is attuned by immemorial inheritance to monotony, which may be varied now and then by a sound beating from her husband. This she accepts as one does an unsalutary change in the weather. She is practically a prisoner, with not much to do and no company save that of her children and other "fractions" like herself. With these she is in most cases not on the best of terms, and if she tries to make away with the children of her rivals at a given opportunity it is no whit more than they would do for hers. She is not supposed to have mental needs; she is not accounted a sufficiently important part of a Persian's establishment to have her health asked after by his friends, and to make such an inquiry is an unpardonable breach of decorum.

The Woman Movement.

The woman movement is not a fad or a caprice. It is a cosmic current like democracy and cannot be arrested or diverted. Men who insist that women must go back to the kitchen and parlor and "let men's work alone" make the common mistake of hasty people who pass judgment before "the meanings" are disclosed. Women may get back to the parlor and kitchen. Time only can tell, but it will be only by going forward.

The universal awakening of the women indicates a something working in the larger purposes of the world which is beyond the vision of any individual. It will work itself out and justify itself as a necessary stage or time in the plan of creation.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Hair Treatment.

Singeing the hair is a good thing when it begins to turn gray and break off. Such a condition shows a failure of the hair pigments. Try a simple hair tonic made of one ounce of borax, one-half ounce of gum campher and a quart of boiling rainwater. Apply to the scalp once a day. Do not forget that ill health affects the hair to an alarming extent. Don't worry, keep the digestion in good condition, don't wear yourself out with work or study, don't tie your tresses tightly and don't use harsh brushes or steel combs.

Scorched Linen.

Here is a formula that, it is said, will restore scorched linen: Peel and slice two onions and extract the juice by squeezing or pounding. Then cut up half an ounce of white soap and add two ounces of fuller's earth; mix with them the onion's juice and half a pint of vinegar. Boil this composition well and spread it when cool over the scorched part of the linen, leaving it to dry thereon. Afterward wash out the linen.

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NOTICE.

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Featherweight Contest.

Chicago, May 24.—Buddy Ryan, the Chicago featherweight, defeated Willie Fitzgerald of Brooklyn in a six-round contest here. Fitzgerald was knocked down twice in the first round and was on the floor when the bell sounded for the end of the round. For the next three rounds Fitzgerald sprinted around the ring and made no effort to inflict any damage upon his opponent. In the last two rounds Fitzgerald appeared to gain courage and used a left jab to good advantage. Ryan landed several hard swings during the last two minutes of fighting and had Fitzgerald staggering at the end of the contest.

Governor Dunston.

Chicago, May 24.—Former Lieutenant Governor T. B. Dunston of Michigan died at the Auditorium. Death was caused by a complication of internal diseases, for which he has been compelled in recent years to undergo several operations. Mr. Dunston came to Chicago two months ago, and since that time has been under special treatment. His wife and four children, one son from West Point and his eldest daughter from Vassar college, were summoned and were present at his death.

WON'T

Be Much Doing at Cleveland

When G. O. P.

Meets to Nominate a State Ticket.

Interest Attaches to the Separate Contests in Congressional Districts

And Senator Hanna Will Play for the State Central Committee, the Better to Assure His Return to Senate.

Columbus, May 24.—Never in the history of Ohio has any political body gathered together in state convention, as listless and shiftless as the Republican convention that will meet at Cleveland next Tuesday. Cleveland is said to be doing great things in anticipation of this event, but if she is able to wake the delegates from the lethargy of indifference that now characterizes all advance indications of the affair, she will do more than will be done by the convention itself. Nowhere is any interest manifested among the Republicans either in the candidates, aside from the dairy and food commissionership fight, or the platform.

The campaign this year promises to be rather a congressional than a state contest and it will be interesting to note the tone of the platform promulgated at Cleveland upon which the 21 Republican candidates for congress must stand. Ohio members in the lower house are, as a rule, not in accord with the president in regard to the Cuban tariff and this year the platform will be made without any reference whatever to the wishes of the men in the White House. The two United States senators from Ohio will dictate the terms of the document. Senator Foraker does not expect to be present at the convention and it has been practically decided that Grosvenor will preside. He wants the honor and is about the only man who would do who cares to ask for it, so it will probably go to him as a matter of course, since Foraker declines.

It is a noteworthy fact that President Roosevelt has no personal strength in Ohio, or at least none to speak of when it comes to influencing the action of a convention. Hanna still retains his grip on the state organization and appears practically sure to control the next state central committee. It will be important for Hanna too, because the committee elected this year at the convention will have charge of the convention a year hence when Hanna hopes to control the organization and secure an endorsement for a second term as United States senator.

Thus far there is but small chance for contests. No important contesting delegations have been reported, and unless Montgomery or Cuyahoga counties scare up contests the convention will be unusual for the reason that there will be nothing for the committee on credentials to fight over. For years there have been from one to a half dozen contests.

The platform is literally going begging for some attention, but without receiving it. It will be the most perfunctory and insipid utterance that Ohio Republicans have delivered in many years. Hanna is not willing to go to any great length to indorse the national administration, and the state administration is positively a dead issue since the adjournment of the general assembly. As for the legislature, it is admitted the least that is said about its record the better it will be for the party. The trust question is too treacherous for Republicans to touch upon with emphasis or sincerity, and the startling revelations regarding the progress of the war in the Philippines puts a fatal damper on any congratulatory utterances in that direction. The convention is regarded by those who will boss it and by those who will be bossed, as a necessary evil—the sooner dispensed with, the better for all concerned. It is in this temper that Republicans will go into their state campaign, and from this condition the Democracy will have an unusual opportunity to profit, if united, well organized and with candidates and principles in accord.

There is no change in Democratic plans as formerly outlined in this correspondence. The Democratic state central committee will not meet until about June 16th, to fix the time and place for holding the state convention. The convention will be held about July 15th, or perhaps one week earlier. There has been some talk during the past week of Cincinnati becoming a bidder for the convention, but well informed politicians are of the opinion that the Queen City would hardly be a successful candidate. Sandusky is making a greater effort than any other city in this direction while Columbus still remains indifferent. If the capitol is selected it will be on account of the default of other rivals.

In the meantime the Young Men's Democratic club of Columbus, numbering 500 of the most earnest Democrats in Central Ohio, have planned an agreeable and novel event to occur just prior to the state convention, in which strong efforts will be made to interest the organized Democracy of the entire state. The club proposes to give a monster clambake and oratorical pow-wow in one of the groves near Columbus, accessible by electric cars, and the date now set for the affair is Tuesday, July 1. The function is to be called the First Annual Ohio Democratic Clambake and aspires to take in representatives of the party from every county. There will be speeches in the open air morning and afternoon and the dinner will be a clambake after the most approved Rhode Island style, under the direction of a Yankee "shore dinner" expert brought here expressly for this occasion. The speakers will be the leaders of the party in all sections of the state, and representing all shades of Democratic opinion. There will be refreshments, music, games and other amusements galore. An old fashioned Democratic love feast, reaching out its hospitality to the entire state, is the object, and there is now every prospect that it will be abundantly fulfilled. The clambake is to be held ten days prior to the state convention, and the chief topic of discussion will be the platform to be adopted by that body. The state committee and the permanent organization committee will be represented on the occasion, and a "getting together" for harmony such as the party has not witnessed in a long time is anticipated.

An executive committee, acting for the club, has been appointed to have full charge of the affair and is now arranging details. It consists of John F. Ward, chairman; C. S. Magruder, president of the club, secretary; Webster P. Huntington, treasurer, and press and advertising representative; James Donavin and Joseph A. Klunk. As the arrangements are perfected, due notice will be given to the Democratic press of the state.

Word has been received from Fairfield county that the Republicans of that county are not willing to accept Charles Grosvenor as their candidate for congress, and demand that another convention be held in which the county may take a part. Grosvenor was nominated for congress in the 11th district before Fairfield was placed in the district, so that the Republicans of that county have had no part in the nomination of a congressman. This will raise trouble. It is even said that if Grosvernor is compelled to go before another convention, he may have serious trouble in landing the nomination.

On the Democratic side of the fence Representative Robert Sharp, of Fairfield is a candidate and stands a good chance of winning the nomination. Mr. Sharp is an able man and quite a hustler in politics and if nominated, will give Grosvenor a run for his money.

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PASTORS

From Lima Extended the City's Invitation.

Rev. and Mrs. Brundige and Miss Nevada Shook returned home last night from Columbus, having been in attendance at the state convention of the churches of Christ of Ohio during the week. The convention was one of the best in the history of the society and largely attended, about one thousand being present. Having received urgent invitations from the board of trade and the newspapers of Lima to bring the convention to Lima in 1903, Mr. Brundige and Mr. Sims considered the matter and with little effort secured the same for 1903. Cincinnati was the only city outside of Lima asking for the convention. But after they heard the report of the committee on place, made no effort to secure it.

DARLING & DEONZO BROTHERS BIG 10c and 20c CIRCUS.

The above, one of the very best of railroad shows will play a two days engagement at Lima, commencing Monday, May 26. There are 20 big feature acts with this one ring circus; they are headed by the world's greatest trick barrel jumpers, the famous Deonzo Brothers. Their act alone is well worth the price of admission charged.

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n. John T. Sheahan, who has been for seventeen years manager of Marshall d Co.'s wholesale warehouse, and is corporal 2d Regiment Infantry, I. N. G., es the following letter from 3753 Indiana avenue, Flat Six, Chicago, Ill.:

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. Jacob Fleig writes from 44 Sum- venue, Brooklyn, N. Y.:

am now a new man at the age of ty-five years, thanks to your erful remedy Peruna."—Jacob

arrhal inflammation of the mucous of the kidneys, also called ht's disease," may be either acute ronic. The acute form produces tome of such prominence that the s nature of the disease is at once suspected, but the chronic variety may come on so gradually and insidiously that its presence is not suspected until after it has fastened itself thoroughly upon its victim.

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ch Will Make a Shorter Route to Fort Wayne.

Line Will Connect Delphos th Cloverdale and Form a nnection With Findlay, Ft. Wayne and Western.

Cincinnati, Hamilton and Day- railway company is beginning an tant piece of construction work will mean a closer competition ved between Cincinnati and Ft. e. The company has completed rements to extend its C., D. & ision from Delphos to Clover- connecting with the Findlay, yne and Western branch. This ion requires only twelve miles k and when completed will give the short routes.

recent purchase of the Findlay, yne and Western was a part of n to gain an entrance into the a city and after the deal was mated the extension was made e. Considerable money will be placing the C., D. & C. division od condition for rapid travel. his route the distance is mate- essened between Ft. Wayne and een City, and it will relieve the ne of considerable heavy work, f Dayton. The entire system ly strengthened by the addit- this second outlet, and one of al officials of the company says no question but that the ex- will be built.

FREAKS OF THE STORM.

storm which passed over hursday afternoon and struck n of Leipsic with terrific force, a C. H. & D. box car which nding on a switch and the rried it to Belmore, a distance miles, at terrific speed. For- y it had an uninterrupted pas- nd thus was prevented what ave been a serious accident. g the storm, the driving rain ell between Dayton and Lima flooded one of the passenger The windows and ventil- re all closed but the water s way in and there was scarce- ly a seat in the car that could be occupied.

COLUMBUS GROVE.

Much Damage Done by a Severe Storm Today.

Vote on Bond Proposition Will be Taken Next Wednesday—Personals.

Columbus Grove, O., May 24.—Invitations for the approaching wedding of Miss Emma Leona Viers and Mr. William Chamberlain, both of Shreveport, La., have just been issued by Mrs. C. Viers, of Toledo, mother of the bride-to-be, and were received by friends throughout the city yesterday. The wedding will take place at the home of Mr. James W. Atkins, 1020 Jordon street, Shreveport, La., and will be an event of Wednesday, June 4, at 12 o'clock, noon. After the early autumn months, the young couple will be at home in Shreveport.

The high school Alumni association has elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, C. H. Jones; vice president, Charles Killen; secretary, Miss Clara Greiner; treasurer, Miss Pearl Sarber.

Mrs. (Rev.) T. F. Boyd and daughter, Pansy, of DeGraff, Ohio; Miss Daisy Williams, of Lima; Miss Augusta Allstetter, of Toledo, are house guests of Mrs. Allstetter and family.

The heavy electrical storm of this morning damaged trees, crops and outbuildings to considerable extent, but loss of life is not reported. Meager reports from other vicinities tell of the fury of the storm, which, beyond a doubt, was the most severe of its nature this year. The amount of rainfall far exceeded that of any fall this season. The storm played havoc with the telephone lines in the city.

The election on the proposition to bond the city for the purpose of purchasing the electric light plant, has been set for Wednesday, June 4.

The memorial service will be held at the Methodist Episcopal church on tomorrow afternoon. The sermon will be delivered by Rev. Jacob Baumgardner, pastor of the church. The service will be a union one of all the churches. The ex-soldiers and sailors, as well as Oglevie post, will attend the services in a body.

OIL

News from Buckeye State.

Some Big Wells

Drilled in During the Past Week.

Hancock Still Among First Oil Producing Counties in Ohio.

Wood County, Once Famous, is Not Doing Much in the Way of Gushers—Oil News from Sandusky County.

Hancock county still holds to its place in the front rank of the Buckeye oil producing counties and some of the wells completed in that district within the past week have been in the A No. 1 class. In Martin township, the Ohio Oil Company's No. 6, Corda L. Watson, in section 24, made 45 barrels the first day and in section 11, D. B. Crally's No. 8, M. A. Cobb, was a 5-barrel producer. Noah Bowlus heads the list with a 100-barrel procucer in Cass township, being his No. 23 on the J. C. Van Eman farm, located in section 15. In section 26, Kraus & Newton drilled a test on the A. H. Cobb farm and it resulted in a 15-barrel well. Orange township furnishes two small wells, the Bradford Oil Company's No. 12, M. J. Fowler, section 16, doing 20 barrels, while Davis & Whipple's No. 6, A. J. Owens, in section 7, made 25 the first day. To the east of Findlay, in Big Lick township, C. H. Hubbard & Co.'s No. 3, Smith, in section 21, was a 15-barrel producer. Amanda township furnishes the only duster in Hancock county's new completions, the well No. 1 drilled by the Echo Oil company & Black on the B. F. Opp farm, section 6. A test in comparatively new territory was the Majestic Oil Company's venture on the Dan Croft farm, in section 33, Liberty township. It was completed the latter part of last week and during the first 24 hours turned 15 barrels into the tank. D. W. Beatty's No. 2, J. Grose farm, in section 25, Union township, proved to be a 40-barrel producer and in section 31, Eagle township, E. C. & R. E. Laylor got a 5-barreler in their No. 2, Heldman.

In Sandusky County.

The new operations in the Sandusky county oil belt have resulted in some producers above the average and a number of smaller ones, mostly in defined limits of the field. In Washington township, F. J. Cheney put down a test on the A. E. Waggoner farm, section 11, and it resulted in a small producer, doing 10 barrels the first day. In section 31 the Ohio Oil Company has a 40-barrel producer in its No. 15, Moses, and at the test drilled by Tait & Co. on the A. Klotz farm, in section 32, 45 barrels was the output during the first day. Scott township has two new wells, the No. 12 drilled by Sharman & Brinkerhoff on the C. Streck farm, in section 6, doing 15 barrels, while in section 31, B. E. Onsel has a 30-barrel well in his No. 14, M. A. Phillips. A 60-barrel producer fell to the lot of the Hurry-Up Oil Company when they drilled No. 8 on the John Rinebolt lease, in section 20, Jackson township, and in section 3, of this township H. G. Harter & Co. have a 10-barreler in No. 3, Wm. L. Hutchins. A test well drilled by H. Waggoner on his farm in section 25, Madison township, came in very light, its first day's production being only 3 barrels. In section 17, Washington township, Zorn, Hornung & Co. got one of almost similar calibre in their No. 9, A. Neisett.

In Wood County.

Late wells in Wood county have been of the 10, 20 and 30 class, with some few that have not even reached that standard. Up along the Maumee, in Middletown township, Fuller & Beatty did not get a show of oil in their No. 4, Hubbard, section 27, and it was abandoned, while on the A. Meschler, in section 35, the Ohio Oil company's No. 1 made one barrel of oil

In section 23, McKelvey & Jester got a 20-barrel producer in their No. 3, Wetmore.

In Henry township, Hendricks & Co. found a 35-barrel producer in their No. 7, Lawrence, section 24, while in the adjoining section the Maple Grove Oil company's test on the H. Wilton farm was a duster.

One of 30 and another of 5 barrels production are recorded for Bloom township, the former being the Ohio Oil company's No. 9, Goldner, in section 32 and the latter the No. 2 well drilled by Hudson & Stearns Bros., on the A. R. Campbell farm in section 30.

Allen County.

The Gilbert Oil company's well on the Sam Strayer farm, in section 21, Amanda township, did 85 barrels during the first day and is reported holding up at a good rate. Their No. 2 Poling, same section, was not such a good producer, doing only 14 barrels. In the adjoining section, Maire Bros.' test on the B. Keller farm was a 12 barreler.

Spencer township has a first class producer on the Etzhorn farm, in section 14. It was the third well drilled by Weil & Johnson and put 75 barrels into the tanks after the shot. Two others that are very small were also completed in this township, the Surplus Oil company having a 3 barrel producer on the John Beaver's farm, section 35, while on the Thomas Delaney in section 25, Rugh, Delo & Co., got only 5 barrels from their No. 8.

In Washington township, Auglaize county, the W. & H. Oil company got a 2 barrel producer in their No. 2, E. Schroeder farm, section 5. This company's first venture on the Schroeder farm resulted in a 100 barrel well and created a little exciteemnt, but the second one did not hold up to the calibre of the first.

Near the Williams farm well, Chas. J. Foster & Co.s' test on the Ebers farm, hitherto known as the E. A. Springer, did 17 barrels during the first 24 hours and No. 2, on the Williams has not yet been reported as completed.

The first day's gauge of the Burley Oil Co.'s No. 1, John Huffman, which was given as 75 barrels, was not a fair standard to set for a statement of the well's capacity, as it has been doing considerable salt water, and not an over-supply of oil. The latter company's new Exline will, No. 2, was tubed and put to pumping Friday night and is now reported not more than 5 barrel pumper.

In Van Wert County.

Up in the northeast corner of York township, Van Wert county, some good producers are on the list, B. G. Gillespie getting a 65 barrel producer in his No. 6, Strother, section 2, while in secton 1, G. H. & L. C. Van Vleck have a 8 barreler in No. 4, Pollock; the Ohio Oil company's Nos. 4 and 5, John L. Evans were good for 12 and 65 barrels respectively.

Small ones have been the rule in the Ridge township field, the Eastern Consolidated Oil company's Nos. 7 and 8, V. H. Good, section 36, making 10 and 50 barrels, while Grogan & Boyd's test on the Lewis Frager was good for only 18 barrels.

In the pool northeast of Venedocia, eight wells have been completed within an area of three square miles and the best of them did 55 barrels, at the start. In section 5, Jennings township, D. A. Herring as trustee has completed a test well on the Williams heirs farm and its first day's production was only 8 barrels. In section 6, he has three new ones, Nos. 2, and 3, M. A. Morgan making 18 and 55 barrels respectively, while No. 16, M. H. Morgan did 10 barrels. Herring also has a 20 barrel producer in No. 6, W. W. Jones, section 7 and a 15 barreler in No. 7, J. W. Evans, while to the southward, in section 18, the first well drilled on the Roland Evans farm, put 35 barrels into the tanks during the first 24 hours. The Cuba Petroleum company got 20 barrels from their No. 5, J. P. Morgan, in section 7, Jennings.

Runs and Shipments.

May 23.	
National Transit Co.—	
Runs	19,031.67
Shipments	20,251.43
Southwest Penna. P. L.—	
Runs	14,074.13
Shipments	2,317.50
Eureka P. L. Co.—	
Runs	41,842.93
Shipments	1,242.07
Buckeye P. L. Co., Macksburg Oil—	
Runs	12,742.11
Shipments	452.20
Buckeye P. L. Co., Lima Oil—	
Runs	48,481.80
Shipments	28,567.23
Indiana P. L. Co., Local Division—	
Runs	19,664.25
Shipments	20,226.57
New York Transit Co.—	
Shipments	25,500.74
Southern P. L. Co.—	
Shipments	25,821.00
Crescent P. L. Co.—	
Shipments	552.66
Cumberland P. L. Co.—	
Runs	483.95
Shipments	301.55

OIL MARKET.

Tiona oil	$1.35
Pennsylvania oil	1.20
Barnesville oil	.72
Somerset oil	.72
Corning oil	1.03
New Castle oil	.95
North Lima oil	.88
South Lima oil	.83
Indiana oil	.83

High school graduates will receive their class pins at Bluem's Monday afternoon.

Rev. Brundige has been invited to deliver the memorial address at Garfield church, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

ILLNESS

Which Brought Months of Suffering

Ends in the Death of Mrs. Irving Street.

Died at Utica, N. Y., Where Mr. Street, Formerly Secretary of the Lima Y. M. C. A., Now Resides.

The news comes from Utica, N. Y., that Mrs. Irving W. Street, wife of the former secretary of the Y. M. C. A., has succumbed to a long and distressing illness, her death occurring at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Street, during the time she was a resident of Lima, endeared herself to a host of friends and the sympathy of the community is extended to the bereaved husband. The Utica Daily Press of yesterday contains the following obituary:

"After a long illness, Mrs. Irving W. Street died at their home, 8 Aiken street, at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon. She had been sick over two years, and had lived in Utica but a year. During this time she had been a great sufferer, and two surgical operations had given but temporary relief.

"Mrs. Street was a young woman and had much to live for, but for some time her condition was such as not to afford much room for expectation of her ultimate recovery. Her maiden name was Josephine F. Krogman, and she was born at Eastham, Cape Cod. She was finely educated, being a graduate of Oberlin College, in the classical department. She was preceptress of Ripon College, Ripon, Wis., for some time, and later was for a number of years senior teacher in the Central High School at Columbus, O. In June, 1896, she married Mr. Street, who was at that time secretary of the Y. M. C. A. at Auburn, N. Y. Later he held the same position at Lima, O. Mr. Street came to Utica as secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association one year ago, and since then his wife had lived in this city. She became a member of the First Presbyterian church. Her illness was such, however, that she could not go out into society. She made many acquaintances, however, and all who came to know her were impressed by her high intellectual attainments and the patience and fortitude with which she bore her affliction. She is survived by her husband, to whom the sympathy of the entire community is extended. She also leaves her father, Joseph Krogman, of Boston.

The funeral will take place from her late residence, 8 Aiken street, at 3:30 p. m. to-day. The remains will be taken to Eastham, Mass., for interment.

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NOTICE.

The ladies of the W. V. R. U. are invited to the Congregational church Sunday evening by Rev. Swanson. All of the ladies are requested to go by order of the

PRESIDENT.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Lena Schafer left for Indianapolis to attend the wedding of Miss Beatrice Hageden.

Miss Maud Fritz, of west Elm street, is able to be up after a severe attack of typhoid fever.

Rev. A. O. Raber, of Delphos, O., will preach at the Market Street Presbyterian church tomorrow morning and evening.

Jack Hilly, of Lafayette was a business visitor in the city today.

Rev. Kramer, the newly appointed pastor of the Spring Street Lutheran church, will preach his first sermon at that church tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. U. M. Shappell went to Bluffton today to attend the meeting of the Alumni. Mr. Shoppell was for a long time superintendent of the Bluffton schools and takes an interest in educational matters pertaining to his former home.

Leo Madigan returned to his home in Sidney this morning after a visit with friends in this city.

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18-inch bleached huck Crash, remarkable value 5c the yard.

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Sickly women can't understand this.

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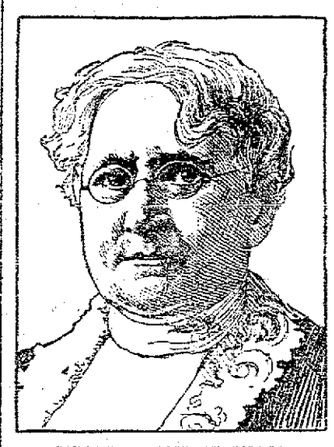
Woman's World

MRS. CAROLINE F. CORBIN.

She Preaches "The Home For Women and Women For the Home."

Mrs. Caroline Fairfield Corbin, president of the Illinois Association Opposed to the Extension of Suffrage to Women, whose antisuffrage views have invaded Germany and other European countries, has for many years advocated "the home for women and women for the home." In 1895 she headed the movement to unify those holding her views, but for fifteen years previously she had been a voluminous writer on social topics. Mrs. Corbin lives at 597 Dearborn avenue, Chicago.

Mrs. Corbin and Susan B. Anthony were schoolmates, and there is an interesting anecdote told of these two women, who are so widely different in



CAROLINE FAIRFIELD CORBIN.

their aims. After graduation their paths were in different lines, and they lost sight of each other for a long time. It was nearly a score of years before they met again. After greetings had been exchanged the duel began.

"What have you been doing all these years?" asked Miss Anthony, perhaps with a feeling of conscious pride as she reflected upon the glory of her own career.

"Bringing up four boys," replied Mrs. Corbin, discerning with a woman's quick wit the implied comparison.

"Boys!" scornfully exclaimed the outspoken Susan. "What under the sun is a woman with your brains doing with four boys?"

"I suppose you would have me strangle them?" was the retort.

"Bosh!" was the emphatic answer. "You should never have had them. They will grow up to be men—nothing but mere men."

From that moment Mrs. Corbin became an active antisuffragist, and many times since the two women have been pitted against each other in the struggle to mold feminine opinion as to the true sphere of womankind.

Children and Nerves.

It is hard to understand in any way the temperament of a woman who can deliberately affright a little child, and every mother, no matter what may be the inconvenience to herself, should make it a point of conscience to immediately dismiss a servant who has been guilty of threatening her charge with horrible stories of bogies, black men, the policeman, etc. The child, met on every side by the unknown, has no experience of its own by which it can counteract these stories, and the curious shyness which many children have in speaking of themselves leads them to suffer in silence. During the day, and when they have companionship, these fears are forgotten. It is at night that the poor innocent falls a prey to its alarms.

Some children appear to have an inborn dread of darkness which has arisen without any suggestion from others, and such children should never be left in complete darkness. Pleasure in light is shown at a very early stage. A baby less than a month old is plainly interested in light. It will cease crying (if such crying is not produced by pain or hunger) on catching a view of an electric or gas light. Many people think that babies have no pleasures beyond those of food and warmth, no pains except the prick of a pin or an ache under the pinafore. They are mistaken. A child of three weeks old was seen the other day to fling up both arms and knit its tiny brows with surprised alarm at the sudden clash of brass rings as a curtain was drawn near by. Thus it is evident that from almost its birth a child should be the object of the greatest care as regards treatment which may affect its happiness and nervous stability.

The ceaseless terrors of little children are so varied that it is impossible to indicate any treatment for them excepting that suggested by the mighty and all important sympathy of mothers, whose arms should be a delicious haven of peace and security to the most perturbed little being, and there he can often be induced to open his heart freely.—New York Post.

Silk Definitions.

Moire louisine—Watered effect on louisine weave.

Peau de gant—Silk with a glove kid finish.

Satin liberty—A richly soft weave without dressing, suggested to Mr. Liberty by the heavy, languorous weaves of the east.

Gros de tondre—A satiny cross between taffeta and grosgrain.

Moire velour—A watered silk filled with wool and so heavy as to resemble uncut velvet.

Chameleon liberty—A sheer changeable silk.

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Satin foulard—A satin finished twill, light weight.

Peau de cygne—Rich weave, not heavy, suggestive of the swan's lovely coat (skin in the translation).

Crepe de chine—Fine silk Chinese crape.

Satin de chine—A bit heavier, with a satin finish.

Peau de soie—Leather finished effect.

Louisine—A repousse weave.

Habutai—China silk.

Chambray gauze—Cobweblike gauze printed with satin stripes.

Poult de soie—A very heavy grosgrain, with a heavy satin finish. The same refers to its splendid weight.

Taffeta—A fine, smooth weave which has been subjected to pressure and heat.

A Thinning Process.

A woman who weighed nearly 200 pounds and who wanted to rid herself quickly of her adipose began by eating salads. She partook of lettuce and tomato salad twice a day and made it the principal dish of her meal. It was dressed with a French dressing.

For luncheon she ate toast and salad and tea. For dinner she had very nearly the same, with a few cooked vegetables and soup. No desserts or sweets were allowed. This reduces very rapidly and is a diet resorted to by stage beauties who get too heavy.

Drink nothing directly with your meals. If necessary, drink afterward or before, but do not wash down each mouthful with a swallow of sweetened tea or coffee.

The matter of sweets is a habit, and if you get in the habit of eating fruit instead of candy, very soon the fruit will seem to you much more desirable.—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Freshening an Old Room.

It is often possible to give an old room a decided air of newness at a trifling expense by changing the sofa pillows and table covers. Denims and sateens can be found in all colors, and they are easily kept in order, as both fabrics can be laundered. Ruffled sofa pillows are no longer deemed medish. Heavy cords or bindings of the same materials are now used. A clever woman desiring to freshen up her small living room, which has plain green walls, has made a slip cover for her lounge of yellow sateen. The pillows which rest upon it are covered with the same fabric and are appliqued with an overdesign of green linen. A cover for a table is treated in the same manner.

To Clean Cretonne Chair Covers.

If the coverings cannot be taken off and washed, have them well rubbed with a cloth wrung out of cold water and ammonia, two teaspoonfuls to a pint. Keep turning and rinsing the cloth as it gets soiled, or the cover will look streaky when dry, and have fresh water when the first lot gets dirty. Soap should never be used when washing cretonnes. Bran should be boiled in the water to soften it, and no soap will be needed. The best plan is to tie the bran in a bag. Unless this is done the water must be strained.

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Don't waste a minute but go to your druggist and get a box of Krause's Headache Capsules. They will prevent pain, even though your skull were cracked. They are harmless, too. Read the guarantee. Price 25c. Sold by Wm. M. Melville, old post office corner.

EXCURSION TO DETROIT.

Via Detroit Southern railroad Sunday, May 25th, one fare for the round trip. Special train will leave Wayne street station at 6 a. m.

It Saved His Leg.

P. A. Danforth, of LaGrange, Ga., suffered for six months with a frightful running sore on his leg; but writes that Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured it in five days. For Ulcers, Wounds, Piles, it's the best salve in the World. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c. Sold by H. F. Vortkamp, corner Main and North streets.

ANOTHER EARTHQUAKE

Said to Have Wrought Havoc In Guatemala—The Report.

City of Mexico, May 24.—The dispatch from Hamburg stating that a paper there has advices that the town of Quezaltenango, Guatemala, had been wholly destroyed by an earthquake shock, has been received here. No news of an earthquake in Guatemala except the Hamburg dispatch has reached this city, and no shock was felt here, as was the case on April 18 last, when an earthquake practically destroyed the town of Quezaltenango and resulted in the loss of many lives. It is thought here to be possible that the Hamburg paper may have received mail advices referring to this earthquake.

Boer Conference.

Pretoria, May 24.—The Boer delegates came to Pretoria as the result of a complete deadlock at Veereninging, where the Free Staters held out for independence, and the majority of the Transvaalers, though anxious for peace, refused to abandon their allies. This is the cause of the Boer delegation being now here. It was at first thought that the delegates would merely report a refusal to accept the British terms. Everybody expected them to depart immediately and that hostilities would actively recommence. To the general surprise, however, the delegates are still here, and the hopefulness is the outcome of the general conviction that some arrangement is pending which may solve the difficulty at Veereninging.

Peace in South Africa.

London, May 24. — There is every reason to believe that peace in South Africa is practically secured. How soon it will be announced depends, apparently, more upon the convenience of the Boer leaders than upon the inclination of the British government. The private and official advices received in London from South Africa all point to the same conclusion. The delay is technical, and to end the long war seems to be the desire of both British and Boer leaders. The latter, however, are unable to convince all their followers of the wisdom of acquiescing to the terms of peace.

Four Boys Drowned.

North Vernon, Ind., May 24.—Four boys, Harry Myers, Fred Schwake, Edward Miller and Harold Craig, ranging in age from 14 to 20 years, were drowned here. In company with Frank Cassan the boys embarked in a skiff upon the swollen, angry waters of the Muscatatuck creek, above a stone dam which is being built across the stream to retain water for city purposes. In a spirit of adventure the boys let the boat drift over the dam, and all were drowned except Cassan. The bodies have not yet been recovered.

Germany Has It.

Berlin, May 24.—The foreign office here has been advised from Pretoria that peace in South Africa is practically concluded. The articles of surrender are ready to be signed, with the exception that the approval of the British cabinet of the wording of the secondary provisions is awaited. The suspension of hostilities may be announced at any hour. This intelligence, it is understood, reaches Baron Von Richthofen, the foreign secretary, through a private cipher telegram.

Cholera on a Transport.

Manilla, May 24.—Cholera is lessening here. There have been only eight cases in 24 hours. One of these was on board the United States transport Hancock, and delays her departure for another five days.

MARKET REPORTS.

Grain and Stock Prices For May 23.

CHICAGO—Cattle: Good to prime steers, $7 00@7 55; poor to medium, $5 00@6 75; stockers and feeders, $2 75@5 25; cows, $1 50@6 00; heifers, $2 50@6 25; canners, $1 50@2 50; bulls, $2 50@5 00; Texas fed steers, $5 30@5 85. Sheep and Lambs—Good to choice wethers, $5 50@6 25; fair to choice mixed, $4 00@5 00; western sheep, $5 75@6 25; native lambs, clipped, $5 00@6 90; western lambs, $5 25@6 60. Calves—$2 00@7 00. Hogs—Mixed and butchers, $6 90@7 30; good to choice heavy, $7 25@7 40; rough heavy, $6 90@7 20; light, $6 70@7 00. Wheat—No. 2 red, 81@82c. Corn—No. 3, 62¾@62¾c. Oats—No. 2, 43¾c.

CLEVELAND—Cattle: Good to choice dry fed steers, 1,200 lbs. and upwards, $6 40@6 50; good to choice dry fed, 1,050 to 1,150 lbs., $6 15@6 35; good to choice heifers, $5 75@6 25; cows, common to choice, $3 00@5 25; bulls, good to choice, $4 50@5 25. Sheep and Lambs—Good to choice clipped wether sheep, $5 40@5 60; fair to good mixed sheep, $5 00@5 25; culls and common, $3 00@4 00; choice clipped lambs, $6 25@6 50; fair to good, $5 25@5 75; culls and commons, $3 50@4 50. Calves—Good to best, $6 50@7 00. Hogs—Yorkers, $6 95; mediums and heavies, $7 30.

PITTSBURG—Cattle: Prime, $6 90@7 25; choice, $6 50@6 80; good, $5 90@6 50; tidy butchers, $5 50@5 80; fair, $5 00@5 50; heifers, $4 00@6 10; cows, bulls and stags, $2 50@5 00; fresh cows and springers, $25@55. Sheep and Lambs—Choice sheep, $5 50@5 65; good, $5 20@5 40; fair, $4 30@5 00; choice lambs, $6 70@7 00; common to good, $3 00@6 50; spring lambs, $5 00@8 00. Calves—Veals, $7 00@7 50. Hogs—Prime heavy, $7 35@7 45; mediums, $7 15@7 20; heavy Yorkers, $7 05@7 10; light Yorkers, $6 95@7 05; pigs, $6 80@6 90.

NEW YORK—Cattle: Steers, $5 75@7 25; oxen, $3 10; bulls, $3 50@5 50; cows, $2 75@5 35. Sheep and Lambs—Clipped sheep, $3 50@5 50; culls, $3 00; clipped lambs, $5 25@6 00; prime unshorn, $7 55@7 60; spring lambs, $6 50@8 50. Calves—Veals, $5 00@7 25. Hogs — State, $7 40@7 45. Wheat—No. 2 red, 87⅝c. Corn—No. 2, 70c. Oats—No. 2, 46c.

CINCINNATI—Wheat: No. 2 red, 83@83½c. Corn—No. 2 mixed, 64⅝c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 45@45½c. Rye—No. 2, 61½c. Lard—$10 00. Bulk Meats—$10 00. Bacon—$11 37. Hogs—$5 70@7 25. Cattle—$2 30@6 25. Sheep—$2 75@5 00. Lambs—$2 75@6 85; spring, $5 50@7 50.

BOSTON—Wool—Ohio XXX, 28@29c; XX and above, 26@27c; X, 24@25c; Ohio fine delaine, 28@29c.

BALTIMORE—Butter: Fancy creamery, 20c. Eggs—Fresh, 17@17½c.

TOLEDO—Wheat, 83c; corn, 63¼c; oats, 44½c; cloverseed, $5 02½.

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In addition to local excursions and reduced fares authorized for various events, the following opportunities are offered for trips via Pennsylvania Lines at special rates:

To San Francisco, Los Angeles, Cal., and Portland, Ore., May 26th to June 7th, inclusive, account Imperial Council, Nobles of Mystic Shrine, National Convention T. P. A. of America and Supreme Lodge, A. O. U. W.

To Denver, Colorado Springs or Pueblo, Colo., June 21st to 23d, inclusive, account Sunday School International Association, Triennial Convention.

To Minneapolis, Minn., July 5th to 7th, inclusive, account National Educational Association.

To Tacoma, Wash., or Portland, Ore., July 15th to 20th, inclusive, account Annual Meeting Y. P. C. U., Society of United Presbyterian church.

To San Francisco or Los Angeles, Cal., August 1st to 7th, inclusive, account Biennial Meeting, Knights of Pythias.

To Salt Lake, Utah, August 6th to 8th, inclusive, account Annual Reunion, Grand Lodge B. P. O. E.

For information about fares and other details, apply to Ticket Agents of Pennsylvania Lines.

All Eyes on Texas.

Great is Texas. Her vast cotton crops and marvellous oil discoveries amaze the world. Now follows the startling statement of the wonderful work at Cisco, Tex., of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. "My wife contracted a severe lung trouble," writes editor J. J. Eager, "which caused a most obstinate cough and finally resulted in profuse hemorrhages, but she has been completely cured by Dr. King's New Discovery." It's positively guaranteed for Coughs Colds and all Throat and Lung troubles. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free at H. F. Vortkamp's drug store, corner Main and North streets.

DECORATION DAY RATES VIA. L. E. & W. RY.

Tickets on sale May 29th and 30th, good to return up to and including May 31st.

Rate one fare for round trip to points with 150 miles of Lima.

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For the Mystic Shrine meeting at San Francisco, and the Travelers' Protective Association meeting at Portland, Oregon, the Erie railroad will sell cheap round trip tickets, May 26 to June 7 inclusive with sixty days limit to Los Angeles, San Francisco and Portland. Stop-overs will be allowed on both going and return trips. For information see Erie agents.

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On May 15th, the opening day of the season of 1902, excursion tickets to Winona Lake will be on sale via Pennsylvania lines. They may be obtained from May 15th to September 13th, inclusive.

For particular information on the subject of rate and time of trains, apply to Ticket Agents of the Pennsylvania lines, or F. Van Dusen, chief assistant general passenger agent, Pittsburg, Pa. Information about attractions at Winona Lake, entertainments, the summer school session, etc., will be furnished in reply to inquiries addressed to Mr. C. S. Dickey, secretary, Winona Lake, Ind. 177-d&w20t

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TOPICS

For Divine Services Tomorrow

Where the Day of Rest is Observed.

Hours at Which Religious Services Will be Held in the City. Interesting Sermons are Promised.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church.

Corner west North and Elizabeth streets; Rev. F. P. Bossart, pastor. Services at 10:15 and 7:30. In the morning, reception of new members and the Lord's supper will be administered to the congregation; evening, "A Trinity Sunday Sermon." Sunday school at 9; Luther League at 6:45. The seats are free and all are welcome.

South Side Church of Christ.

Pastor Sims' themes for Lord's day at the South Side Church of Christ are the following: At 10:30 "The Jubilee Convention:" at 7:30, "The Phenominece of Spiritualism."

West Wayne St. Church of Christ.

At 10:30 W. A. Brundige will deliver to the church and people the best things heard and seen at the convention. Come and hear him. At 7:30 he will talk on the subject, "The Relation of the Y. M. C. A. to the Church of Christ and the Salvation of Our Young Men." At the Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:15 Mrs. Brundige will give a short report on Endeavor work. Bible school at 9:15; H. Tracy, Supt. Other services of the week as usual.

Solarville Church.

Rev. P. R. Land of the German Reformed church will preach tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. All are invited.

Christ Church (Protestent Episcopal).

Holy communion at 7:30 a. m.; Sunday school at 9:30; vespers at 4:30 p. m. Subject of the morning sermon, "Virulity." This is the annual sermon by request of the Y. M. C. A. The afternoon sermon will be appropriate to Decoration Day.

First Congregational Church

South Elizabeth street near Market; Rev. J. J. Swanson, pastor. Worship and sermon at 10; bible school at 11; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30. Illustrated patriotic lecture at 7:30 on "Lessons from the Great Conflict." About seventy views will be shown. All seats free. Silver offering. The public cordially invited.

U. B. Church.

Corner of Spring and Union streets; L. C. Reed, pastor. Sabbath school at 9; divine services at 10:15 and 7:30; Junior Y. P. C. U. at 2:30. The Young People's Christian Union will hold their annual business meeting Tuesday at 7:30. Prayer and class meeting Thursday at 7:30.

First Church of Christ (Scientist)

Second floor Masonic building, Sunday morning service at 10:30; Sunday school follows immediately after. Thursday evening testimonial services at 7:30. Reading room open daily (except Sunday) from 2 to 5, also Tuesday and Friday evenings from 7 to 9. All visitors cordially welcome. Subject of sermon May 25, "Ancient and Modern Nicromancy; or Mesmerism and Hypnotism."

Calvary Reformed Church.

High street and Park avenue, A. D. Wolfinger, pastor. You are cordially invited to the following services: At 10:30, "Y. M. C. A. Work;" 7:30 p. m. Memorial service—"Proper Use of the Sword." Sunday school 9:15; Jr. C. E. 3 p. m.; Christian Endeavor Wednesday 7:30.

Spring Street Lutheran Church

Corner west Spring and Pierce streets. Sunday school at 9:15; preaching service at 10:30 and 7:30. Rev. O. C. Cramer, the new pastor, will preach and is anxious to meet the whole congregation at once. Everybody welcome.

Trinity M. E. Church.

The pastor, M. M. Figley, will preach morning and evening. At the morning service, 10 o'clock, the subject will be "The Young Man's Glory." In the evening the subject will be "Patriotic in Character." A short sermon will be preached on the theme "Elijah's Mantle." A chorus choir will lead the congregation in singing our national hymns. The services of the day begin with the class meeting at 9 a. m.

Epworth M. E. Church.

In Faurot opera house at 10:30 the pastor, George W. Anderson, will preach the memorial sermon for the Grand Army of the Republic. All the patriotic orders of the city will attend in a body. For the members of the Grand Army the seats in the centre of the lower floor will be reserved. All other seats will be free and a cordial invitation is extended to all to attend this service held in honor of our soldiers living and dead. Doors open at 10. Services begin promptly at 10:30. In the evening at 7 o'clock, in the Willower building, the pastor will preach on the theme, "Losing Jesus." All are invited.

Grace M. E. Church

In the morning at Grace M. E. church the pastor will preach on "The Soldiers' Attitude." In the evening his subject will be "The Cups Out of Which We Must Drink." The singers have prepared special music for each service. Come and worship with us.

Union Street Lutheran Church.

Sunday school at 9:15 a. m.; morning services at 10:15 a. m.; evening services at 7:30. This being Trinity Sunday services will be appropriate to the day. You are invited. Carl Ackermann, pastor.

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NOTICE TO WATER CONSUMERS.

All consumers of water from the Lima Water Works, are hereby notified, that on next Sunday morning, May 25, the water will be entirely shut off for necessary repairs, at four o'clock and not turned on again until eight o'clock.

Anyone wishing to use water for any purpose during the time above stated, will have to get it before four o'clock Sunday morning. By order of the TRUSTEES.

Lima, Ohio, May 22, 1902.

J. N. Hutchinson, Secretary.

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K. O. T. M.

Excursion to Detroit, Decoration day, May 30th, via Detroit Southern, under the auspices of the Knights of the Maccabees, only $1.25 for the round trip. Special train will leave Wayne street station at 6 a. m. Come one and all and join us in this excursion. Buy your tickets in advance of W. R. Jones, chairman of the committee.

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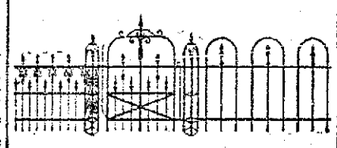

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

James B. Young, Plaintiff,
vs.
Attison Owen et al., Defendant,
Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the court of common pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, THE 14TH DAY OF JUNE, 1902,

Between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock, p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situate in the city of Lima, Allen county, state of Ohio, and described as follows towit:

Inlot number two thousand and seven (2007), in Hanthorn's addition to the city of Lima, Allen county, Ohio.

The same being situated on the east side of Elizabeth street, between Vine and Kirby streets, house number seven hundred and ninty nine (799.)

Appraised at $1650.00.

Terms of sale, cash.

E. J. BARR, Sheriff,
Allen county, Ohio.

Lima, Ohio, May 16, 1902.—89-4t

Henderson & Rogers, plaintiff's attorney.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the clerk of the board of education of Bath township, Allen county, until twelve o'clock at noon on the 23rd day of June, A. D. 1902, for building a school house in sub-district No. 1, according to the plans and specifications on file in said office, also in Ruhlen and Miller's office, in Lima, Ohio. Each bid must contain the name of every person interested in the same, and be accompanied with a certified check or bond of three hundred dollars. If the bid is accepted, a contract will be entered into, and the performance of it properly secured. The bid for each kind of material called for by the specifications, must be stated separately, and the price of each given, and the price of labor must also be separately stated, and the board may reject any or all bids.

By order of board of education.

J. B. DRIVER,
may14-5w Clerk of Bath Tp.

SHERIFF'S SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY.

Case No. 11013.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a writ of execution issued out of the Court of Common Pleas, within and for the county of Allen and state of Ohio, and by me levied upon the goods and chattels hereinafter mentioned, the undersigned will offer at public auction at the east door of the court house, in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, MAY 24, 1902,

between the hours of one o'clock and three o'clock p. m. of said day, the goods and chattels described as follows:

Oil and Gas Leases To-wit:

The south-east quarter of south-east quarter and east half of south-west quarter of south-east quarter, equals 60 acres the lands of Joseph Meyer.

Also the south-east quarter of south-west quarter and west half of south-west quarter of south-east quarter equals 52 acres, the lands of Catherine Schoemmiller.

Also the north-east quarter of south-west quarter and north-west quarter of south-east quarter, 80 acres, the land of Henry Luersman, all in section (3) township three, south of range four east, Marion township, Allen county, Ohio.

Also, three (3) oil wells complete, with one (1) 20-horse power Farror & Treft boiler, one 20-horse power Olin gas engine, one 15-horse power steam engine, three 100-barrel tanks, one 150-barrel tank, one 40-barrel tank, and all necessary surface rods, gas and oil pipes and connections, and all situated on, in and under the above described leases and leasehold estates, and all tools of every description now used on said leases. Taken as the property of The Hammansburg Oil Company, at the suit of Louis Schoemmiller.

Terms of sale, cash.

E. J. BARR, Sheriff
Of Allen County, Ohio.

Klinger & Quail, Att'ys for Plaintiff.
Lima, O., May 12, 1902.

NOTICE TO BUILDING CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals will be received by the city clerk until 12 o'clock noon, May 24th, 1902, for the erection of a Market House, the main building to be of brick structure 30 feet by 49 feet, located on the Market lot, south Main street, Lima, Ohio, and to be erected in accordance with plans and specifications on file at the office of the City Civil Engineer.

Bids may be made on the entire work complete or upon each kind of trade or mechanical labor represented in the erection of the said structure.

A certified check on a Lima bank for the sum of $200.00 must accompany each bid, as a guarantee that if the same or any part thereof as above provided, is accepted, the bidder will enter into contract with acceptable bond for the completion of the work. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

FRED C. BEAM,
City Clerk.

Lima, Ohio, April 30, 1902. f&s-tt

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Mrs. P. W. Phinney, deceased. The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as executor of the estate of Mrs. P. W. Phinney, late of Allen County, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 8th day of April, A. D. 1902.

E. W. PHINNEY,
114 Arsenal Ave., Indianapolis, Ind.
May 5, 1902.

Foley's Honey and Tar heals lungs and stops the cough.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

O. W. Purdy, plaintiff
vs.
Edward Moorman, et al., defendant.
Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the court of common pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

Saturday, May 31st, 1902,

Between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situated in Amanda township, Allen county, state of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

The southwest quarter, of the southeast quarter of section thirty-one (31) township three (3), south, range five (5) east, containing forty (40) acres of land, more or less, subject to all the rights, title and interest of I. L. Miller and L. C. Miller, therein by virtue of a certain oil lease now owned and controlled by them covering said premises; which lease is recorded in Lease Record Vol. 21, page 134 of said Allen county, Ohio.

Appraised at $1,800.00.

Terms of sale, cash.

E. J. BARR, Sheriff.
Allen County, Ohio.

Lima, Ohio, April 28, 1902.

Henderson & Rogers,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

SHERIFF SALE.

May Burden, plaintiff. vs. Nancy Boop et al., defendant. } Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of writ of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, THE 21ST DAY OF JUNE, A. D. 1902,

Between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situate in Bath township, Allen county, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Being a tract of land commencing at the southwest corner of the east half (½) of the northeast quarter of section No. sixteen (16) in township number three (3) south, range number seven (7) east; thence north forty (40) rods; thence east eighty (80) rods; to the public highway; thence south forty (40) rods; thence west eighty (80) rods to the place of beginning; and containing twenty (20) acres of land more or less; excepting therefrom two (2) acres of land more or less, heretofore conveyed to The Lake Erie and Western Railway Company, and leaving eighteen (18) acres of land more or less, and excepting that part.

That said commissioners have assigned to Nancy Boop her dower interest therein as follows to-wit: Being four (4) acres of land upon the north side of the premises above described nine (9) rods wide and extending from the public road on the east side thereof, to the west line of said premises above described. Leaving fourteen (14) acres of land more or less to be sold.

Appraised at $650.

Terms: Cash.

E. J. BARR,
Sheriff, Allen county, Ohio.

Lima, Ohio, May 20, 1902.

T. E. Hamilton, plaintiff's attorney.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

Allen County Building & Loan Association Company, plaintiff.
vs.
Stephen H. Giberson, et al., defendant.
Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of a writ of sale, issued from the court of common pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, MAY 31st, 1902,

Between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situated in the city of Lima, county of Allen and state of Ohio, subject to street assessments not now due, described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point twenty-five (25) feet east of the north-west corner of outlot number thirty-one (31) in Barr's addition extended to the city of Lima, said county and state; thence south to a point in the south line of said out-lot; thence east on said south line twenty-five (25) feet to a point; thence north to a point on the north line of said out-lot; thence west twenty-five (25) feet to the place of beginning.

Also such additional lands as may be included in the following description. Commencing at a point twenty-five (25) feet east of the north-west corner of out-lot thirty-one (31) in Barr's addition extended to the city of Lima, said county and state; thence south one hundred and sixty (160) feet; thence east twenty-five (25) feet; thence north to a point on the north out line of said out-lot; thence west twenty-five (25) feet to the place of beginning, it being intended by the description last above to cover portions of out-lots two hundred and thirteen (213) and two hundred and fourteen (214) not included in the first descriptions.

Appraised at $1100.00

Terms of sale cash.

E. J. BARR, Sheriff,
Allen County, Ohio

Lima, Ohio, April 23rd, 1902.

Richie, Leland & Roby, Att'ys for Plaintiff.

LEGAL NOTICE.

U. M. SHAPPELL, vs. EUGENE HICKEY } Petition and Affidavit in Attachment.

Notice is hereby given to Eugene Hickey, of Ellicottville, N. Y., that a petition and affidavit in attachment has been filed this 25th day of April, in the Court of Common Pleas of Allen County, State of Ohio, by U. M. Sheppell to attach the property of Eugene Hickey, situated in Allen County, Ohio, for the sum of one hundred and fifteen dollars and thirty-eight cents, ($115.38), with interest from December 25th, 1900, balance due on rentals paid by U. M. Shappell for Eugene Hickey.

The defendant, said Eugene Hickey, will be required to answer by June 21st, 1902.

Plaintiff prays for a judgment of one hundred and fifteen dollars and thirty-eight cents ($115.38) with interest from December 25th, 1900.

U. M. SHAPPELL,
By R. L. ARMSTRONG, his attorney. 6-6w

LEGAL NOTICE.

The unknown heirs or devisees of William Chaffee, deceased, and the unknown heirs or devisees of Joshua B. Hover, deceased, will take notice that on the 1st day of May, A. D. 1902, Cora S. Woods, plaintiff, filed a petition against them in the Court of Common Pleas, of Allen County, Ohio, case No. 11634, praying that a certain deed executed by William Chaffee to Joshua B. Hover be declared null and void, upon the following described premises. Inlot number one hundred and thirty-five (135) in the original town, now city of Lima, Allen County, Ohio; that Cora S. Woods' title to said inlot number one hundred and thirty-five (135) in the city of Lima, Ohio, be quieted against any interest said defendants may have in said premises.

That said case will be for hearing from and after the 23rd day of June, A. D. 1902, and unless they answer by said date a decree will be entered against them quieting the title as to any interest that they may claim in said premises.

CORA S. WOODS, Plaintiff

Motter, Mackenzie & Weadock, Attorneys.

May 1, 1902, 6w.

NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE®

LIFELESS BODY

Of an Unknown Man Found in the C. & E. Yards This Morning.

Victim Believed to Have Been a Tramp and Possibly a Burglar. Supposed to Have Been Killed by a Train.

About 3 o'clock this morning, the members of the switching crew who were working with night yardmaster, Jack O'Brien in the C. & E. yards, found the lifeless remains of an unknown man lying beside the main track at a point a short distance west of the St. Johns avenue crossing. It was evident that the man had been dead for some time before the body was found. The lifeless form was taken to the C. & E. depot and coroner Bice was notified and after his arrival the body was taken to Jones & Williams' morgue. No one who has yet viewed the remains has been able to identify them and the indications are that they may never be. Nothing was found in the pockets of the dead man's clothing to lead to the discovery of his identity and the coroner is of the opinion that the unfortunate was a tramp and very probably a burglar. In the pockets of the clothing were found a 44 calibre revolver, a skeleton key and a piece of soap.

The deceased was evidently a man of about forty years of age. He was well built, weighed about 160 or 170 pounds, has black hair, slightly streaked with gray and a short black mustache. He wore dark trousers of mixed goods, a checked, brown coat and vest and a black winter cap. A large extra pocket was found sewed onto the lining of the coat between the regular side pockets.

It is supposed the man met death by being struck by or falling from a train. His skull was crushed and his face and scalp laid open from the top of his head through the center of his forehead and down to the bridge of the nose. The right arm was crushed in a manner that indicated that the wheels of a train had passed over it from the elbow to the wrist.

The only hope that coroner Bice has of being able to ascertain the identity of the dead man is by tattoo marks on his left forearm. The initials "J. R." and the picture of a heart pierced by a sword are tattooed in the arm.

HOME

The Remains of H. L. Brice

To Be Brought

Will Arrive in Lima Tomorrow.

Friends of Deceased Shocked by the Unexpected Death.

Was One of the Most Able Attorneys Belonging to the Allen County Bar, and Was Prominent Socially.

The brief announcement made by the Times-Democrat last evening of the sad death of Herbert L. Brice, which occurred in the Oak Grove sanitarium at Flint, Mich., was a sudden and unexpected shock to his wide circle of friends in both social and professional affairs. It was generally known that the condition of his health had occasioned considerable apprehension among his immediate friends and relatives at the time he went to the sanitarium last fall but recent reports concerning his condition were of an encouraging nature and all were hopeful of his recovery. The deceased's brother, Jonathan K. Brice, left for Flint, Mich., last evening and will take charge of the remains, with which he will return to this city some time tomorrow. Arrangements for the funeral will not be completed until after the arrival of the remains.

Herbert L. Brice was born at the old Brice homestead near Columbus Grove, and was the youngest son of the Rev. John Kirkpatrick Brice. He came to Lima in the early days of his boyhood and attended the public schools of this city. After completing his common school education, he went to Princeton and graduated from that institution in 1887. Returning to this city from college he read law for a year in the office of attorney S. S. Wheeler, and a year later entered the Columbia law school, in New York. He was admitted to the practice of law in 1889, and in July of that year, formed a partnership with S. S. Wheeler, a partnership that was dissolved only by his death. He was engaged in active practice from 1889 until his failing health forced him to seek recreation and give up his profession last fall. He was one of the most able members of the Allen County bar, and was equally prominent in social life, being a leading member of both the local lodge of the B. P. O. E. and of the Lima club. He was also a life member of both the Hospital society and the Library association and no one was more active that he in securing those two magnificent institutions for Lima. For a number of years he was president of the Northern Ohio railroad company, prior to the absorption of the L. E. & W. system by the Vanderbilt interests. Mr. Brice was constantly ambitious, energetic and industrious and after the death of his half-brother, the late ex-Senator Calvin S. Brice, he assumed much of the responsibility of the latter's extensive business interests. His responsibilities increased with the death of Mrs. Brice, and the constant attention he devoted to the affairs of the family, doubtless hastened the breaking of his own health. He is survived by his venerable mother, Mrs. C. C. Brice, of west Market street, one brother, Jonathan K. Brice, of north Baxter street; and two sisters, Mrs. O. B. Selfridge, of west Market street, this city and Mrs. Edwards Ritchie, of Wyoming, O.

Mr. Kirk Brice and Miss Helen Brice,, nephew and niece of the deceased, will arrive here from New York tomorrow morning.

ANOTHER

That Will Bear Watching During the Season.

Tom Sullivan has made a purchase of a piece of horse flesh which will be watched with interest during the coming season. He has gotten possession of Babe Strong, a Toledo horse with a record of 2:19¼, formerly owned by Joe Gahan. Blondy Hayes will take charge of the horse and with a good record to go on, may be expected to capture several pieces of money on the circuit.

REMAINS

Of John Goebel were Laid to Rest This Morning.

Funeral Held from St. Rose Church and the Interment Made in Gethsemani.

The last sad rites over the remains of the late John Goebel, were held at St. Rose church this morning at 9 o'clock. The services were largely attended by people of all creeds and from all walks of life. Rev. A. E. Manning, who sang the High Mass of Requiem, preached the funeral sermon, in which he paid a very high tribute to the life of the departed one. The floral emblems were large in number and very grand in design. The pallbearers were: Thos. Fitzgerald, George Feltz, Josiah Williams, Joseph Woerner, C. H. Neubrecht and Daniel Angell. The body was gently laid to a final resting place in Gethsemani cemetery beside the remains of his wife who preceded him in death a few years ago. Those present at the funeral from abroad were Mr. and Mrs. F. Domhart, Mrs. Frank Hoppe and George Borst, all of Kenton.

DARLING & DEONZO BROTHERS BIG 10 AND 20 CENT CIRCUS.

The above well known railroad show will pitch their tents on Main street, near the bridge, on Monday, May 26, for a two days engagement. This circus is without doubt the best on the road for the prices. Two performances daily, at 2 and 8 p. m. Grand street parade at 11 a. m.

CLASS

Of Eighty-eight Boys and Girls

Will Receive First Communion Tomorrow.

Lima Council, Knights of Columbus, to Assist in the Institution of a New Council at Marion, Sunday.

Tomorrow morning at the 7:30 o'clock mass at St. Rose church a class of 88 boys and girls will receive their first holy communion. At the conclusion of the mass and after they have made their acts of thanksgiving to God, for the great privilege just bestowed upon them, the first communicants will take breakfast with the pastor, Rev. A. E. Manning. The other masses will be celebrated at 9:30 and 11:00 o'clock. Vespers and benediction will be held at 3:00 p. m. at which time the first communion class will make a renewal of their baptismal vows. Those who attend the first mass must be in the church promptly at 7:30 a. m., as this service will begin at that time, in order to give the Knights of Columbus, who will leave at 9:00 o'clock on a special train for Marion, an opportunity to attend this service and also be in time for their train. The Lima Council goes to Marion to participate in the installation of a new council at that place.

Commandery 201 Uniformed Rank, Knights of St. John will act as an escort and as a guard of honor for the first communion class at the 7:30 o'clock mass.

THE TERROR

Of West Newton Brought to Time.

The tent beneath which Prof. Beery, the horse trainer, is giving an exhibition each evening, would not have held many more people last night, and those who were present enjoyed a performance as unique as it was entertaining. The West Newton horse which was advertised proved to be even more of a terror than report had it, and he gave his trainers a merry fight. At the close of his first lesson the horse that before refused to let anyone approach him, was driven around the ring as docile as a lamb. There were several other examples of fractious horses and a program equally as good as last night is promised for this evening. A big portion of the audience last night was ladies and they enjoyed the performance equally as well as the men.

When doctors fail try Burdock Blood Bitters. Cures dyspepsia, constipation; invigorates the whole system.

ROYALLY

The Pathfinders were Entertained at Ada.

Last evening a party of about forty of the ladies and men of the local lodge of the Pathfinder order drove to Ada, where the degree team from the local lodge initiated a class of candidates into the order. The work was enjoyed and was followed by a banquet to which all did justice. The visitors were royally entertained by the Ada members and did not return home until an early hour this morning.

Our stock of wall paper is yet very complete. We can suit you in style and price. Green's book store.

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BROTHER

Members of the Bar Will Hold a Meeting.

The members of the Allen County Bar Association will meet at the court house tomorrow afternoon for the purpose of taking action on the death of H. L. Brice. The meeting is called for three o'clock.

It is said that every bride has many friends, but in a few years, they dwindle down to one. That's Rocky Mountain Tea. Makes and keeps her well. 35 cents. H. F. Vortkamp, corner Main and North streets.

GOES

Into a Receiver's Hands

And the Debts

Will be Paid by Sale of the Property.

Affairs of the Landeck Oil Company were Settled Today in Court.

The Children's Home Case was Not Finished Yesterday and Judge Mathers Continued it Until Monday.

The application for a receiver to take charge of the property of the Landick Oil Company was heard this morning and the petition granted. A single objection was made to the desires of the plaintiff by a member of the company who asked that the duties of the receiver be limited to a report of the appraised value of the property, and that there be no attempt made to operate it. The court was informed that the lease had three wells on it, but the total production was but seven barrels, and would not pay the expenses of pumping.

The court agreed with that opinion and appointed Arnold B. King, of Delphos, as receiver. Two appraisers were also appointed the parties to the suit agreeing on Wm. McMallen and Charles Gersellchen, of Spencerville. The property is to be appraised forthwith and then offered for sale to any member of the company, but if refused by them to any ready purchaser.

Notice of Appeal.

W. W. Hall and the J. M. Sealts Co. gave notice through their counsel this morning that they would appeal the case in which they are plaintiffs and John Gallagher defendant.

Will Fight It.

The inquest that is to decide whether George H. Long must be returned to the Toledo asylum will be held at one o'clock Monday afternoon. The hearing was to have taken place yesterday, but Long has secured the services of an attorney and will endeavor to prove his sanity.

Oil Property Sold.

Deputy sheriff Summers sold the personal property today of the Hammansburg Oil Co., on a judgment taken by Lewis Schmmoeller. The property was bid in by A. W. Apple & W. F. Hemming for $1625.

Real Estate Transfers.

Allen Graham to David Huggett, part of inlots 275 and 276, Rose's addition to Lima, $4500.

Ezra Numan to Wm. S. Ritenour, part of inlot 1688, Jameson's addition to Lima, $350.

Christina Standish to Oscar N. Young, 36 feet off the east end of inlot 1688, Jameson's addition to Lima, $925.

Oscar N. Young to Wm. S. Ritenour, same, $950.

M. M. Donehoo to Frank Baseger, inlot No. 9, West Newton, $350.

T. J. C. Smith to M. M. Donahoo, same, $350.

Court Briefs.

Two days were consumed in the trial of the case of the Children's Home trustees vs. W. A. Carey, but it was impossible to complete it yesterday and Judge Mathers continued it until Monday.

Attorney A. V. Watts, of Ottawa, former referee of the Ohio Southern, was a visitor at the court house today.

James McManus, of Toledo, representing B. F. Wade & Co., was the guest last night of County Clerk Sullivan.

SHOWERS

Put an End to the Athletic Sports

And the Event at Findlay was Postponed Until Thursday of Next Week.

The Northwestern Ohio Athletic contest, which was to have been held at Findlay yesterday, had but fairly started when a driving rain came up and flooded the park. It was necessary to postpone the event until next Thursday.

Two heats of the 100-yards dash had been finished in which Pendleton, of Findlay easily distanced his opponents. Landick of Lima was having everything his own way in the pole vault when the showers put an end to the sport. The representatives of the local high school who were present were M. Landick, L. Landick, E. Jackson, R. Albrecht, M. Reed, Allen Booth and Potter.

DRY BLUEM GOODS

SPECIAL SHIRT WAIST SALE.

About ten dozen Shirt Waists slightly mussed from handling made of percale, gingham, and chambrey, and a small lot of white lace stripe lawn, that were 50c, 75c, $1.00. To close out quickly Saturday night,

25c each.

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Dress Goods. Suit House.

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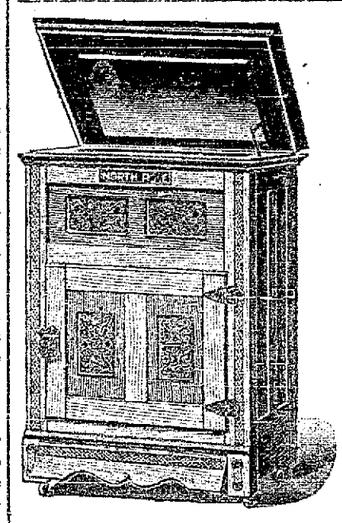

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Michael's Monday Special: Boys' Washable Suits, consisting of shirt and pants to match for 25c.

ASSISTANT

Pastor for St. Rose Church May be Appointed.

During the week just closed, Rt. Rev. I. F. Horstmann, Bishop of Cleveland, ordained eight young men to the priesthood in the cathedral at Cleveland. There were also during the week two ordained in Cincinnati, two in Baltimore and one at the Niagara University. All are for the Cleveland diocese. In all probability one of the number will be appointed as assistant priest, to Rev. A. E. Manning, as he has been without a regularly appointed assistant since the removal to Kent, of Rev. James B. Mooney, a few months ago.

An Ice Cream and Strawberry Festival will be given on Trinity church lawn tonight by the choir. Tickets 15 cents.

Hammocks at Green's.

SADDENED

By Death is the Home of P. J. McNamara

Whose Wife is Claimed by the Silent Reaper.

Deceased Had Been Ill Less Than a Week—Is Survived by Her Bereaved Husband and Three Little Sons.

Margaret, the beloved wife of P. J. McNamara, of 911 Greenlawn avenue, died at 9 o'clock this morning. Mrs. McNamara was taken ill last Sunday, suffering from an abscess in the side, which caused her death. The deceased was a young woman possessed of many beautiful traits of character and her untimely death is a great shock to her family and also to her wide circle of friends. She removed to this city from Delaware, Ohio, several years ago, and during her life here she has endeared herself to all who have had the pleasure of her acquaintance. To mourn their irreparable loss are her grief stricken husband, and three little sons, whose ages are eight years, six years and five months respectively. She is also survived by her aged father, Mr. Bresnan, four sisters and one brother, D. Bresnan, brakeman on the C. H. & D. railroad. Mrs. McNamara was a devout and active member of St. John's church, and the funeral services will be held at that church Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock.

DARLING & DEONZO BROS. CIRCUS.

Darling & Deonzo Brothers Big Consolidated 10 and 20 Cent Circus and Congress of Trained Animals. The biggest and best of cheap priced circuses will give at Lima two performances daily for two days commencing Monday, May 26th at 2 and 8 p. m. The 20 big feature acts are headed by the world's greatest trick barrel jumpers— the Deonzo Brothers, their act alone is well worth twice the price of admission charged. Will exhibit on Main street near bridge.

NOTICE TO SONS OF VETERANS.

All members of Geo. Hall camp No. 26, Sons of Veterans are requested to meet at the G. A. R. hall Sunday, May 25th., at 10 a. m., to attend the Memorial exercises to be conducted at the opera house at 10:30a. m., Sunday, May 25th.

You are also requested to meet at the G. A. R. hall Sunday evening, May 25th., at 7 p. m., to attend the services at the Congregational church at 7:30 p. m., Sunday, May 25th.

H. W. McGINNIS, First Lieut.

Chicago Stock Markets.

Chicago, May 24—Cattle 200, steady; hogs 13,000, lower; sheep 1,500, weak.

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